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OUTLINES.

The dead body of little Horace Marvin, who disappeared two months ago from his home near Dover, Del., and who was supposed to have ben kidnapped, was found in a marsh yesterday half a mile from the house of his father, Dr. Marvin; the indications are that the little fellow was murdered and his body placed in the marsh, as his father had searched the sopt and burned the grass off since he disappeared two months ago.——Another attempt was made on Friday to assassinate President Caberera, of Guatemala, a great mine having been discovered not far from the Presidential mansion; anarchy seems to prevail in Guatemala, men, women and children of all nationalities being arrested and brutally treated, a circumstance which will probably cause the United tates and Mexico to take charge of affairs and restore order.——Mrs. Roosevelt and some of her lady guests on a pleasure trip down the Potomac Friday afternoon on the yacht Slyph barely escaped death or injury in a collision with a tug; the flagpole crashed to the deck, narrowly mssing them.——Ernest Huffcut, former dean of Cornell University law school, a leading authority on constitutional law and personal counsel of Governor Hughes, of New York, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself on a steamer while returning from Albany.——In the rowing race yesterday at the Jamestown Exposition for the Battenberg cup honors, the British tars were victors over the Yankees.——At Bremen yesterday there was a $1,500,000 fire, the loss including 20,000 bales of cotton.——New York markets: Money on call, nominal; time loans, dull and slightly firmer; spot cotton, 5 points lower; closing steady at 11.50; flour, firmly held and quiet; wheat, easy, No. 2 red, 89 1-2 elevator; corn, steady, No. 2 60 1-2 elevator; oats, steady, mixed, 47 1-2 to 48; turpentine, steady, 67 1-2 to 68; rosin, firm, strained, common to good, 4.85.

Vote for the Recorder's Court. It will save at least four thousand dollars to the city and county.

The "voice of the people" should cease to be the echo of the howl of the politician.

The worst thing Taft will have to endure if he becomes President is that a lot of people wil always speak of him as Roosevelt-made.

Editor William J. Bryan inquires in The Commoner: "Where does Taft stand?" Stand, nothing. He's the man that is always sitting on the lid.

The Panama Canal Commission ordered a lot of porch swings. This is the first evidence that has cropped out that there are girls in the Canal Zone that must be looked after.

"Meet me at the Jamestown Exposition August 12th to 19th," is what North Carolinians are now saying while they put their plunks in the savings bank, so they can see the Exposition during North Carolina Week.

A felony in law is a crime that is punishable by hanging or imprisonment in the State penitentiary. All crimes below the grade of felony can be finally disposed of by a Recorder's Court.

The Washington Post anxiously observes: "A Chicago professor favors a government pension for mothers. No one ever thinks of giving the poor fathers a lift." Oh, well. The mothers will see to that, themselves.

The Wichita (Kan.) Eagle says: "Everybody is for Taft because everybody else is." People are very much that way, but Republicans especially are. As soon as the lead-dog gives tongue the pack takes the trail and yelps the chorus.

An English Duchess says "The trouble with American women is that they want too much waiting on." The Duchess should know enough about court proprieties to realize that it is in very bad taste for a Duchess to go around knocking the Queens.

Secretary Taft refuses to talk politics with the newspaper men at Washington. He shouldn't miss the opportunity to come right out and endorse President Roosevelt's efforts to give the Republican party a Presidential candidate who will carry out the Roosevelt policies.

Democratic leaders are confident that the Democracy will carry the country in 1908. As long as we can perpetuate confidence and renew our encouragement like that, it just shows that the Democracy is no mollycoddle. Here's one more lusty yell for our spunk. Rah!

The Washington Post is authority for this statement: "Maj. Charles E. Woodruff, army surgeon, says sunlight is the foe of the human race." The major is probably judging from the action of people who won't even put up a fight against certain rays of the sun, but hike out every time for the shady side of the street.

STABBED TO DEATH

Half Grown [illegible] With Killing Another Last Night.

AT SIXTH AND NIXON STREET

Had Been Quarreling During Afternoon—Murderer an Adopted Son of Late Andrew Walker. Inquest to Be Held.

What is said to have been the esult of bad blood that had existed between the two all the afternoon previous, George Brown, a colored youth, not over 19 years of age, was fatally stabbed early last night at Sixth and Nixon streets, by Robert Walker, 15 years of age, said to be an adopted son of the late Andrew Walker, the well known colored soldier and politician. Immediately after the stabbing Brown ran up Nixon street to Seventh and fell dead on the ground. Walker made good his escape and up to an early hour this morning had not been captured.

The two colored youths are said to have been quarreling all yesterday afternoon and last night renewed their difficulty in the store of Mr. Carl Kuhl, at Sixth and Nixon. They were not drinking so far as could be learned as Mr. Kuhl does not conduct a saloon. They went out on the sidewalk and pretty soon further words led to Walker's drawing his knife and sticking it between the second and third ribs, near the region of the heart on the left side. Brown then ran and fell as stated while Walker was not slow in disappearing. The police were soon on the scene, but no trace of the fugitive could be secured and Dr. Bell, the coroner, was notified of the death of Brown. He viewed the remains and summoned a jury of inquest composed of Messrs. Julius Sternberger, J. F. Whitaker, E. B. Snipes, Frank Harper and I. N. Burriss. These will meet at the City Hall this morning at 11 o'clock and inquire into all the circumstances connected with the case The police in the meantime have a sharp lookout for Walker, who is nothing more than a strip of a boy.

FIRE THIS MORNING.

Blaze in First Ward, Another in Fifth. Damage Complete.

This morning at 2 o'clock the fire department was called to Fifth and Nixon streets in response to an alarm from box 17. The cause was the burning of two houses on St. James street, leading from Nixon, between Fourth and Fifth streets. The buildings were occupied by colored persons and were a total loss.

At 3 o'clock this morning, before the department had returned from the alarm in First ward, fire broke out in the extreme southern part of the city, on Second, between Dawson and Wright. Several one-story frame dwellings and Mount Olive colored church on Second near Dawson street, were burned. A report from the fire by telephone this morning as the paper goes to press is that the water supply was not sufficient and that the firemen were unable to cope with the flames until practically one whole side of the street was swept. The dwellings were largely inhabited by colored people.

Peruchi-Gypzene Company.

The Peruchie-Gypzene Company will give way to the minstrel show at the Academy of Music tomorrow night, but on Tuesday evening they will begin their second week's engagement, presenting "Brother Against Brother." On the opening night, Tuesday, ladies will be admitted free.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

F. E. Hashagen Co.—Cigars.
C. R. L. & P. Co.—To the Beach.
A. D. Brown—Great Reduction sale.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Manufacturers' Sale.
Robert S. Macomber—Property For Sale.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Manufacturers' Sale.
Solomons Shoe Store—Spring Style Shoes.
Baltimore & Carolina S. S. Co.—Sailings.
Academy of Music—Billy Kersands Minstrels.
Consolidated Company — Figures That Tell.
John H. Rehder & Co.—Biggest Bargain Week.
Sunday Herald — Commissioner Bingham.
Sloan & Sweeney—Challenge Refrigerators.
North State Mutual Life—Cartoon with a Moral.
St. John's Lodge, A. F. & A. M.—Emergent Communication.

Business Locals.

Star Office—Boy Wanted.
C. P. B. Mahler—For Sale.
J. N. Carroll—Cows for Sale.
D. L. T. Capps—Contest Closes.
W. N. Harriss—Fox Terrier Lost.
George Clows—Traveller Wanted.
Lady Stenographer—Position Wanted.
Monroe Cigar Co.—Salesman Wanted.
M. C. Darby & Co.—Lord Cottage for Rent.
T. S. McManus—Room and Board Wanted.
California Cider & Ex. Co.—Salesmen Wanted.
Gas Engine Pub. Co.—Gas and Gasolene Engines.

U. S. COURT TO-MORROW

Spring Term at Wilmington This Week—Large Number of District Court Cases, Including Several of Interest in Admiralty.

The United States District Court for the Eastern District of North Carolina, Judge Thos. R. Purnell, of Raleigh, presiding, will be convened at Wilmington tomorrow. While the first day will be given over largely to preliminaries, a large number of court attendants are expected and the public building will present an animated appearance. Col. Harry Skinner, District Attorney, arrived yesterday from a trip to Washington, D. C., and put in the day at his office getting the docket in readiness. There are a large number of cases for trial at this term, there being about 90 already docketed.

Among the criminal matters to be disposed of at the term most interesting will be that of young E. A. Nelson the mail clerk of this city, charged with abstracting a package containing $10,000 in currency from the mails in this city about six weeks ago, his arrest having been effected last month. The preliminary trial will take place before U. S. Commissioner S. P. Collier on Friday, and it is expected that the defendant will be bound over to the term of court then in session. Another case of some interest is that of Ed. Smith, rcently brought to Wilmington from the Federal prison to stand trial for being implicated with Jim Burns, colored, in raising U. S. money orders and passing them upon a number of Wilmington merchants. Burns is in the Atlanta prison, having been sentenced from here a year or two ago. He may be brought back to Wilmington as a witness against Smith.

There are a number of important matters on the admiralty docket, but it is stated that few of these are ready for a hearing. The amounts involved in these admiralty matters will nearly aggregate half a million dollars.

POCKET BANK THE FAD

Hundreds of Interesting Little Devices to Encourage Systematic Saving Are Gven Out—There Are Yet More For Distribution.

It is coming to be quite a fad among a great many people to carry around with them and to keep at a convenient place at their homes as a pocket piece or an ornament one of the pretty, little souvenir banks that are being given out for the asking by the People's Savings Bank, of this city, a new departure inaugurated last week and one which has become wonderfully popular. The close of the first week of the new departure at the bank last night disclosed that several hundred of the little devices have been distributed and that there are now in Wilmington more people with at least the nucleus of a savings account than there were ever before.

The offer of the bank has met with a success that is most gratifying and many of those who have received them have already considerably enlarged their initial deposit of twenty-five cents and are well on the road to happiness and contentment, for there is nothing that gives the peace of mind that does the consciousness that in "a time of storm" there is a safe harbor against embarrassment and sometimes suffering.

Mr. Dick, cashier of the bank, says that the little bank idea has been most popular with the working people, with the thrifty housewife, the man of moderate means as well as some men of large affairs. The ladies especially have taken to the idea and saleslades, stenographers, bookkeepers, teachers and mill people are waking up to the idea of systematic saving. The boys and girls have also found the devices quite attractive and hundreds of the handsome little novelties are now carried in the pocket or kept at home by the little folks with whom it is quite as much pleasure for the bank people to do business with as it is with the grown-ups. A dollar is soon saved when one begins to take care of the pennies, nickles and dimes, and that is the most appealing feature of the pocket savings bank.

The distribution of these little banks will continue certainly for a week longer and any person with the least desire to put something to the side for a day of possible misfortune or when the exigencies of the occasion will require more than the ordinary weekly or monthly wage, would do well to investigate the proposition. It's very simple; call at the bank; get one of the little "everreadies" and the problem is solved.

Mass Meeting for Men.

At the men's mass meeting this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, Evangelist Percy G. Elsom will take for his subject, "Your Chickens Will Come Home to Roost," the Scripture text being, "Whatsoever a man soweth that shall he also reap." The ordinance of baptism will be administered at 11 o'clock, just before the morning service. During the revival services this week there will be thre special sermons preached in the afternoon: To women Monday; to boys Tuesday and to girls Wednesday.

Concert at Lumina.

Music today at Lumina. Cars every half hour. **

Big bargain week this week at Rehder's. **

SOCIETY PERFECTED

North Carolina Organization to Further Peace Movement in This State.

MET YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

Prominent Men From All Over the State Identified With the Work. Officers Elected and Other Business Transacted.

The North Carolina Peace Society, the nucleus of which was recently formed at the suggestion of the Wilmington delegation at the great National Arbitration and Peace Congress in New York City, was perfected at an enthusiastic meeting yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in the parlors of The Orton in this city. Between forty and fifty of the most representative people of Wilmington, both ladies and gentlemen, with quite a number from other parts of the State interested in the work, were present and the results were highly gratifying to those identified with the work. The meeting continued until well in the evening and the entire plan of organization was gone fully into, it being the ultimate purpose of the National Association to extend the work into every State and territory.

At the meeting yesterday afternoon all were present who were in attendance at the initial meeting in New York, viz.: Mr. Hayne Davis, secretary of the International Association of Conciliation; Mrs. Mary Pearson Davis, of Salisbury, N. C.; Miss Mary Bridgers and Mrs. Ella Weill, of Wilmington; Mrs. Elizabeth Katz, of Greensboro; Mr. Arthur E. Overbury, of New York; Prof. F. S. Blair, of Guilford College, and Mr. J. F. Davis, of Guilford College. There were also in attendance Mrs. A. C. Bridgers, of Durham, and Miss Elizabeth Earl Jones, of Asheville, N. C. A large number of prominent men in the State were notified of the meeting to be held here and while many of them could not attend on account of previous engagements, letters were read from them endorsing the movement in the highest terms and expressing their purpose to actively affiliate with the organization in its subsequent work. Among the letters read from these distinguished men at the meeting were responses from Governor Glenn, President Venable and Prof. H. H. Williams, of the university; Congressman Small, ex-Congressman Kluttz, of Salisbury; Senator F. M. Simmons, Bishop Cheshire, Hon. Richard H. Battle, of Raleigh; Dr. Kemp P. Battle, of the university, and Mr. Joseph P. Caldwell, of Charlotte.

Mr. Davis, who lectured so interestingly in the Elks' Temple Friday evening preliminary to the meeting for organization, explained the work at some length and presented the constitution which he and Prof. Blair as members of the Executive Committee, had been instructed to prepare for the Wilmington meeting. Two amendments, one proposed by Bishop Robert Strange and one by Rev. R. W. Hogue, were adopted with the original draft of the constitution, which it was thought after a full discussion was fully up to the requirements of the work in North Carolina. This provides for the organization of auxiliaries in every town and city of prominence in North Carolina under the jurisdiction of the State Society.

A number of names of the clergy of the State were proposed for honorary presidents, but later at the suggestion of Bishop Strange that the clergy are already identified with the movement, it was deemed advisable to name prominent laymen who might be enlisted in the active support of the work. These honorary president were named as follows: Governor Robert B. Glenn, ex-Governor Chas. B. Aycock, Mr. James Sprunt, Hon. Lee S. Overman, Senator F. M. Simmons, Dr. F. P. Venable, president of the University of North Carolina, and Hon. Jno. H. Small. Mr. Hayne Davis was elected active president of the society with much enthusiasm.

It was decided to name three vice-presidents of the society in addition to these all the presidents of civic societies in the State, these latter to be ex officio vice-presidents. The two named were Prof. F. S. Blair, of Guilford College, and Capt. Wm. F. Robertson of the Wilmington Light Infantry. The election of Capt. Robertson, being actively engaged in the military, suggested itself as unusual and Capt. Robertson demurred, making a pretty impromptu address that eminently qualified him for the position to which the society insited on electing him. The third vice-president was left to be filled upon suggestion of members from Raleigh.

Mr. Thos. H. Wright, of Wilmington, was elected secretary and treasurer, and Miss Margaret Lovell Gibson, of Wilmington, was elected historian.

A resolution of thanks to Manager Hinton, of The Orton, for many courtesies shown the Society; to the Elks for the use of their hall and for the elegant refreshments served after the lecture Friday night and to the press of the city for space given to the work, was unanimously adopted.

An executive committee to be composed of the president and secretary and one other to be chosen by these

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CLOSING OF THE SCHOOLS

Tileston Commencement on Friday Evening, May 17th—Virginia Day to Be Observed—Prof. M. C. S. Noble to Deliver Address.

The public schools of Wilmington will close their terms week after next, after having been in session the full eight months as is required by law. This will be the week of May 13th and on that day "Virginia Day" will be celebrated in all the schools in accordance with the programmes recently provided by the North Carolina Society of the Colonial Dames of America. On Thursday evening May 10th, at 6 o'clock, Senior Class Day exercises will be observed at the High School. On Friday at 11 o'clock the graduates of the Hemenway School and of the Union School will receive their certificates of promotion to the High School and pupils of these schools otherwise will receive their cards of admission to the next grade.

On Friday, May 17th, at 8 P. M., the graduates of the High School will receive their diplomas at interesting commencement exercises in the assembly hall of the building. Prof. M. C. S. Noble, of the University of North Carolina, will make the address and the usual pretty and appropriate exercises will take place. Handsomely printed invitations surmounted by the class emblem in colors, have been mailed to friends and the attendance as usual will be large.

The class roll as given on the invitations is as follows: Ina Elizabeth Alderman, Pearl Warren Barnes, Minnie Louise Beery, Ethel Antoinette Black, Kate Theodosia Cantwell, Hattie Camille Gardner, Helen Hopewell, R. D. Marsden, Luciana Cutlar Poisson, Eslie Mabel Risley, Ila Adele Rountree, Devora Shrier, Helen Julia Solomon, Herbert Lewis Darden, Ferdinand J. Duls, Benjamin H. Houston, Jr., William Murdoch Parsley, Harry M. Solomon, Alexander Sprunt, Harold Wright Whitlock.

YOUNG MAN IS MISSING

J. F. Dahmer, Former Proprietor of Moving Picture Show on Market Street Disappeared and Relatives Distressed Over It.

J. F. Dahmer, 21 years of age, until a few days ago proprietor of the moving picture theatre on Market street, has been strangely missing from his former place of business and from his boarding house since Thursday night at 12 o'clock. His mother, who arrived yesterday from Charlotte, is firmly of the opinion that the young man has either been the victim of foul play or that, despondent over his business venture here, he has committed suicide. The police have been requested to look out for him and to assist in any way possibl in the search that relatives and friends have instituted for him.

Young Mr. Dahmer came here from Charlotte a few weeks ago and with Mr. C. W. Stonebanks opened The Odeon on Market street. His mother and step-father live in Charlotte. On account of a fire soon after he engaged in business and because of other misfortunes, the venture on Market street has not been the success that the enterprise and energy of the young man should command and of late he had been very despondent. Thursday night when he closed the moving picture show about 12 o'clock he left his assistants including Mr. Stonebanks and said he was going to his boarding place at Mrs. Jones', on Market street. He asked one of the young men to accompany him. They did not find it convenient and he went on alone. That was the last seen of him. Out of a large roll of money he had paid some debts during the day and had very little money on his person. A watch had been left with Mr. Stonebanks, to whom he had turned over the business and which has been operated by him since. Letters to his mother in Charlotte were such as to cause Mrs. Dahmer to come to Wilmington to see her son. She arrived yesterday and found him strangely missing, with his trunk and clothing at his boarding place. Since she arrived she received yesterday a long distance telephone message from her husband, the young man's step-father in Charlotte, stating that another letter had arrived and in this Mrs. Dahmer was told that the young man expressed great distress over his condition and intimated that he would end all his troubles by drowning himself. The mother is at the home of her brother, Mr. Lewis Sallings, in this city, and Mr. Sallings has asked the aid of the police in the search. The grief-stricken woman is almost prostrated and any information as to the young man would be thankfully received. Young Dahmer was well liked in Wilmington and had made a very great many friends here, who are distressed to know of the possibility of his sad fate.

Real Estate Transfers.

By deeds filed for record yesterday W. A. Lineker and wife transferred to James P. Howell, for $600, ten acres of land on the east side of the Castle Haynes road in Cape Fear township, and Thos. H. Wright transferred to John A. Cooper and wife, for $100 and other considerations, property on west side of Fifth, 226 1-2 south of Castle street, 31 1-2x90 feet in size.

Go to Geo. O. Gaylord's for values this week. **

FINALLY BRETHREN

"Another Taxpayer" Submits Some Observations on The Recorder's Court.

FOR ITS ESTABLISHMENT

How the Cases Will Get Before It. Some of the Economic Features. Its Effects on Present Office Holders.

The Star is publishing below a final word in behalf of the proposed Recorder's Court upon the establishment of which the people of the county will vote on Tuesday of this week. It may be said in passing that sentiment is rapidly setting in favor of the court, and that its passage is likely:

Editor Star: In a communication from "Taxpayer," published in yesterday'si ssue of your paper the writer passes very lightly over the "imposing array of figures" which conclusively demonstrates the importance and necessity of a Recorder's Court, and then says, "What the people want to know is how are all the numerous cases to get into the Recorder's Court?" The answer seems to me to be very simple. Section 4 of the act establishing the Recorder's Court gives the Court all the jurisdiction and powers in all criminal offences which are now or may be hereafter given justices of the peace and the jurisdiction also to hear and determine all offences and misdemeanors consisting of a violation of the ordinances of the city of Wilmington. Section 5 of the act provides that said court shall, in addition to the jurisdiction conferred by section 4, have exclusive, original jurisdiction of all other criminal offences committed within the county of New Hanover below the grade of felony as now defined by law. Section 7 of the act provides that in all cases heard by justices of the peace and other committing magistrates against any person for any offence mentioned in section 5 above referred to, in which probable cause of guilt is found, such person or persons shall be bound in a suitable recognizance with a sufficient surety to appear at the next succeeding term of said Recorders Court for trial, and, in default of such recognizance, such persons shall be committed to the common jail of New Hanover county awaiting trial. The mayor of the City of Wilmington, in cases over which he does not have final jurisdiction, is simply a committing magistrate, and in all such cases, under the grade of felony, is compelled by the act, whenever probable cause of guilt is found, to bind the parties to appear at the next term of the Recorder's Court for trial, instead of the Superior Court, as heretofore, and in this way "Tax Payer" will see how "all these numerous cases get into the Recorder's Court to be finally disposed of."

If the bill creating the Recorder's Court should be ratified by the people on next Tuesday there will simply be no necessity for the Mayor of this city to hold court. Under the act the said Recorder's Court shall hold daily sessions at the City Hall of the City of Wilmington, thereby enabling every case over which that Court has jurisdiction to be finally disposed of on the day succeeding the commission of the offence. This enables criminals to be speedily punished, and contributes, as nothing else could, not only to the peace, welfare, and good order of the community, but, in the opinion of this writer, will retrench the cost of the administration of the criminal law of the county of New Hanover to an amount, not less, certainly, than $3,500 or $4,000 per annum in excess of the cost of the Recorder's Court.

Tax Payer is mistaken when he says that every one convicted in either the Mayor's Court or in a magistrate's court would have the right to appeal to the Superior Court under the State constitution. In petty cases over which the Mayor or magistrate would have final jurisdiction, the appeal would necessarily be to the Superior Court, but in all other cases under the grade of a felony which constitute at least three fifths of all the offences committed within the county, the Mayor or magistrate would be forced to bind them over to trial to the Recorder's Court. So far as the appeal from the Mayor or justice of the peace is concerned, that is a matter of little moment, as only 10 appeals have been taken in the last 15 months in this county.

The Recorder's Court would have exclusive jurisdiction of all that large class of cases which for years have cumbered the docket of the Superior Court, and which has entailed upon the county such a tremendous cost annually, such as assault and assault and battery with a deadly weapon, assault and battery where serious injury is done, selling liquor without license, carrying concealed weapons, all grades of trespass, all nuisances, gambling, selling liquor on Sunday, resisting officers, and many others over which the magistrate has not final jurisdiction, under the grades of felony.

Over 60 per cent. of all the cases tried by the Superior Court which have consumed so much time, given so much annoyance and entailed so great expense have consisted of the class of cases just mentioned.

The principal ground of opposition to the establishment of the Recorder's Court is, with many, as I have heard it, that it will curtail the fees of several of the county officers to an amount approximating in the aggregate $2,000 per year. Well, that objection is certainly well founded, but

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THE NEWSPAPER AND THE FARMER.

The Charlotte Observer in an editorial on "This Paper and the Farmer," speaking of the Observer's agricultural attitude, says:

"Elsewhere is a communication from our friend, Mr. C. C. Moore, president of the North Carolina division of the Southern Cotton Association, who puts The Observer on the witness stand as to various matters that it knows little about, and that are none of is business. In its legitimate sphere as a news medium it conveys information from time to time as to the state of the cotton market or the general cotton siuation, but it never has any advice for the farmers about how much or how little cotton they should plant; how they should cultivate it; whether they should sell it or hold it or at what price they should sell it if at all. This would be sheer impudence. We have great respect for the intelligence of the farmers and no doubt of their ability to attend to their own business, which, it seems, to us, is about as well attended to as that of any other class of people, as we had very recent occasion to remark. Certainly they are more capable of managing it than we are."

Right there is where the Observer falls down. It ought to have agricultural as well as political opinions. Suppose the Observer were to play shut mouth on politics like it wants to do on agriculture, we would miss a lot of good things and politics might go wrong. We have half a mind to say that one reason why politics do go wrong is because the newspapers do not speak out or are too prone to chime in after others and go wrong themselves. Everybody may not agree with the Observer's political opinions or those of any other newspaper, but they have their effect in keeping things from getting too radical or too conservative, so it is necessary to come to the scratch and speak out in meeting. These various opinions that newspapers and men have serve as a kind of ballance wheel for the good of politics and society and the State.

The farmers are no doubt capable of managing their own business, but we can advise with them or give them advice, whether they take it or not. We take the same chances when we advise the people on politics, although "they may be more capable of managing it than we are."

The idea is to get in the game for what it is worth. The Observer shouldn't go short on agricultural opinions and it has no more right to assume that the farmers know more about agricultural policies than to assume that the people need no political hand out. We don't want the Observer to fall down on this agricultural business.

INJURING SMALL ROADS.

The Florida Legislature on Tuesday passed the Long bill reducing railroad fares in that State to 2 1-2 cents per mile. Several amendments were offered to the measure to exclude the short and independent or weaker lines from the bill, but Representative Long, who is author of the bill, succeeded in having all of them tabled.

As an indication of the general favor with which the 2 1-2 cent fare was received, the vote on the passage of the bill was 43 for it to 12 in the opposition. The Legislators probably thought they were acting for the best interests of the State and the people, but they never stopped to think that Legislation like that will tend to destroy every short, independent or weak line and ultimately place them in a condition that they will be gobbled up by the trunk lines. If the Legislature was determined to reduce the fares it should have taken into consideration that the weaker lines could not afford the same cut as the trunk lines. The Legislature in North Carolina acted much more wisely in making a graduated or discriminating cut in fares on trunk and latteral lines respectively. However, it is the opinion among some lawyers that acts which make the fare one thing on one railroad and another on a different line can be overthrown because the fare is not uniform and does not bear equally on all railroads. There is no doubt, however, that a uniform rate would practically ruin the little roads.

It would be unwise to give the city authorities power to add nine hundred thousand dollars to the bonded indebtedness of Wilmington, making the total amount about one million and six hundred thousand dollars. The larger the amount at command, the greater the tendency to extravagance.

LOOK OUT FOR THE EAST.

The Salisbury Post in an editorial thus speaks of the gubernatorial outlook for next year:

"The news that the Hon. Locke Craige may be counted upon as a gubernatorial candidate means that some spice is to be thrown into the campaign next year. It seems to be certain that Hon. R. A. Doughton, of Alleghany, will be in the race, and his following is not to be underestimated if one wishes to make an accurate forecast. It may as well be admitted, for it is a fact, that Representative W. W. Kitchin has just now the strongest hand. Whether the entrance of Mr. Craige will detract most from the Fifth District statesman or the Alleghany county representative is a question. Whatever happens to these three and the other gentlemen from the east who are grooming for the job there will be something doing, politically speaking, in North Carolina next year."

The aspirants in the West are going ahead just as if the East doesn't know that it is its time to have the Governor. The "unwritten law" and precedent of the Democratic party in North Carolina is for the East and the West to take turn about in furnishing the the candidate for Governor. Both sections of the State have scores of men qualified by character and ability to be Governor, but those good men of the West ought to lie low till the East trots out the man for Governor. Men good and true and strong will be out in time, and we are thinking that when the next Governor settles down at Raleigh he will look like a man from the East.

Keep your eye on the East.

ATLANTIC MONTHLY.

The May number of the Atlantic Monthly is one that will greatly edify and please the readers of that popular magazine. Its distinctive literary features are pronounced and the story and verse writers make its pages exceedingly entertaining. Bsides there are a number of strong discussions of various topics by strong writers, including an article on "Railroad Accidents," by Frank Haigh Dixon. Another article of intense interest is "Christianity in Japan," by K. Asakawa. It is impossible, however, to mention all the merits of The Atlantic Monthly. It is sent a year for $4.00 and sells at 35 cents per copy. Address Houghton Mifflin & Co., 4 Park Street, Boston.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Johnson had his Boswell, and Roosevelt has his Jake Riis. If this be treason, make the most of it.—The Commoner.

—The shortage of the peanut market may be partly due to the demand caused by Foraker's political methods in Ohio.—Louisville Post.

—A Columbus (Ohio) girl is suing for $9 for three kisses. The Denver girl who has been selling them for $5 apiece is likely to regard her as a cheap skate.—Washington Post.

—The Washington Herald insists that the President is not the ruler of the United States. Funny how a great newspaper occasionally overlooks a big item right in its own bailiwick.—The Commoner.

—"No man is good enough to be President forever," says the Chicago Tribune. And since no man is likely to live forever, we fail to see what the Tribune is worrying about.—Washington Post.

—The report that Secretary Taft will not debate with Senator Foraker is another evidence that Secretary Taft is considerable of a diplomat.—The Commoner.

—Mr. Rockefeller will probably refuse to worry over the charge that he is a party to a political conspiracy, inasmuch as the offense alleged isn't indictable.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

—We suppose the President knows who he is dealing with when he puts his Southern interests—if he has done so, as alleged—in the hands of Mr. Marion Butler, of North Carolina. Mr. Butler is a good sunshine friend but if by any chance Senator Foraker or any other of the President's enemies in his party should whip-saw him on the turn—as is not at all likely—Mr. Butler would not hesitate a minute about abandoning the lost hope and hailing the rising sun. Mr. Marion Butler is a soldier of fortune.—Charlotte Observer.

—Francis Wing, former judge of the United States District Court, and leading counsel for Cassie Chadwick in her trial, today at Cleveland, announced that he had organized a $4,000,000 bean trust, which is immune from legal attack. The company, composed chiefly of Cleveland capitalists, will be incorporated soon in Delaware and will be called the Interstate Products Company. Judge Wing says that his company has taken options upon nearly every one of the 300 elevators in Southern Michigan and Western New York, where virtually the whole bean crop of the United States is grown. This elevator combination evades the anti-trust laws, Judge Wing says, because the company will actually own the elevators.—Philadelphia North American.

TWINKLINGS.

—Landlady—I'm sorry to say, sir, that the coffee is exhausted. Lodger—I'm not surprised. It has been so weak lately.—Strand.

—"Papa, what year was mamma born in?" "In 1860, Willie. Her birth day's in February." "That would make her 47 years old, wouldn't it?" "Ahem! Not necessarily."—Denver Post.

—"Father," said little Willie Quiz, "what is expert testimony?" "Expert testimony, my son, is a sort of legal umbrella that is hoisted to shield a man from the effects of a brainstorm."—Washington Star.

—Captain John Smith was stammering his gratitude. "Don't mention it," returned Pocahontas, "I had to get in the Jamestown Exposition.' Once again was more man's estimate of his importance taken aback.—New York Sun.

—"Say, didn't you tell me when you sold me that dog that he was a bird dog?" "Yes, that's what I said." "Well, you swindled me. That dog won't hunt." "I didn't say he would hunt. He's a bird dog. Cook the girds for him. That's the way he likes them best."—Roseleaf.

—"My wife is always victorious in her arguments with me." "Always in the right, eh?" "Oh, no; she's hardly ever in the right."—Houston Post.

—Judge Bluegrass—Colonel Gore, let me introduce my friend, Colonel Blood. Colonel Gore—Delighted to meet you, Colonel. Will you join me in something red?—Chicago Tribune.

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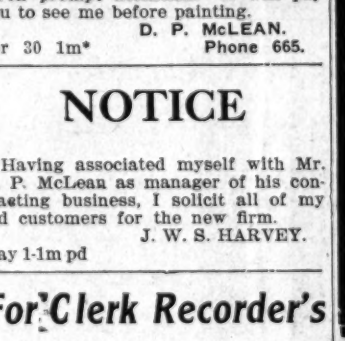

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SHOULD WE SMOKE

Eminent French Physician Says It Is Beneficial to Most People—Scientific Study of Tobacco and Its Effect.

(Philadelphia North-American.)

"I thoroughly agree with Dr. Nalpasse," said a well-known American physician recently. "I think a good cigar after a meal is of undoubted help. Of course growing children should not smoke; their growth will be stunted and their mental development hindered by the habit. But few grown persons experience any harm from tobacco—that is, if they do not become slaves to the habit.

"I smoke quite a number of cigars every day. But to maintain control of will over my desire, once a week I stop moking every night at 6 o'clock and fast from the weed until 6 o'clock the following evening.

"Thus I show that I am master of my appetite, and as long as a man has mental control he cannot be harmed.

"The same thing is true of wine, or certain kinds of food. Partake judiciously and you will feel a grateful satisfaction and benefit from appeasing your desire; but give way entirely and eat and drink whatever you want, and all you want, and you certainly will suffer."

Dr. Nalpasse made a scientific study of tobacco and its effects. What is most remarkable, perhaps, is that he found that the smoking of a cigar in many cases cured otherwise incurable cases of dyspepsia.

Most persons, according to the Parisian savant, experience bad results because they do not know how to smoke.

Suppose you were smoking a delicious Havana; that you should lay it aside a minute and the fire should become extinguished. You will no doubt pick it up and relight it, ignorant of the fact that as soon as you took a puff all the harmful nicotine in the stump would enter your lungs.

If a cigar is particularly good, you would possibly smoke it down to the wet butt, and you'd chew the butt in the bargain. How often have you seen men do that?

Dr. Nalpasse said a cigar should be thrown away when three-quarters smoked. A man should smoke only three or four cigars a day. A pipe which has become discolored, he declared, is filled with nicotine and unfit to be put into the mouth. A person should not smoke on an empty stomach.

Nicotine, according to the French physician, does not volatilize until it attains 250 degrees, so, as the cigar burns down to the end the poison is likely to be drawn into the lungs. In this respect, he says, the Japanese take all precautions.

To those who can use tobacco and use it moderately, says Dr. Nalpasse, it is pleasant and harmless; but it should not be used, he says, by persons suffering from a lung disease, or who have heart trouble. To persons afflicted with nervous disorder it might be injurious.

"In some cases," writes the physician, "tobacco aids digestion by exciting the salivary secretion and producing greater activity on the part of the gastric organs."

He cites the case of a woman who suffered from hysteria and extreme nausea. She failed to keep any food in her stomach. Dr. Drjardine Baumetz advised her to smoke a cigar after each meal; to her delight she found that the nausea passed away. When she failed to smoke, the malady returned and she suffered extreme discomfort.

In cases of partial drowning and asphyxiation, according to Charleroi, smoking has had a reviving effect.

Dr. Nalpasse advises no one to smoke in a sleeping room. Nor would he advise those who have not formed the habit to take it up upon the strength of his article.

NEWS NOTES FROM DUNN.

Hon. H. L. Godwin, a Busy Man—Deaths, Marriages.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Dunn, N. C., May 4.—Mr. J. D. Banes and Congressamn H. L. Godwin left Monday evening for Jacksonville, Fla., where they attended the marriage of their nephew, Mr. Hugh Barnes, to Miss Evelyn Berry Gregg, Tuesday night. They returned yesterday accompanied by Mr. Barnes and bride, who will spend several days in this city.

Mrs. J. R. Godwin, wife of Mayor Godwin, died yesterday evening at 5 o'clock, after several weeks' illness. The funeral will be at Greenwood cemetery Friday morning. She was about 65 years old. She leaves a large family of children and relatives. She was a consistent member of the Presbyterian Church.

Sunday a series of meetings will begin at the Methodist Church, contining through the week. Rev. Mr. Lee will be assisted by Rev. Mr. Mercer, of Maxton, N. C. A successful meeting closed last night at the Disciple Church, as a result several new members were added to the church. Dr. Bitting, the pastor, conducted the services.

Mr. York, of Hope Mills, N. C., has located in town and opened up the hardwood business. He contemplates the erection of a shuttle block factory at an early date.

Congressman H. L. Godwin has been very diligently at work since he took his oath of office March 4th, and has succeeded in getting a very nice distribution of seeds, books, periodicals, maps, etc., for the patrons of his district, all of which have been sent out. His constituency very much appreciates his effect along this line.

Miss Sarah Peck Hines, of Falson, N. C., formerly a teacher of Expression of Columbia College, will give a recital at the Opera House under the auspices of the Daughters of the Confederacy, Friday night, May 3rd.

NEW FIGHTING CRAFT.

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell Says Air Battleships are Coming.

(London Cable New York Times.)

Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone, said to me tonight that it was only a question of a brief period when the progress of aerial navigation would make it possible to have dinner in America and breakfast the next morning in Europe, covering the distance across the Atlantic in considerably less than 20 hours.

"My expectation," said Dr. Bell, "is that an airship will be perfected capable of making 150 to 200 miles an hour. My opinion, however, is that the next step in aerial flight will take the form of such improvements as will make possible the creation of aerial battleships.

"The actual problem of the navigation of the air has already been solved by the Wright brothers. Naturally there will be development along commercial lines, a feature of which will be a great increase in speed, but the most attention will be paid to adapting airships to the purposes of war. My belief is that America will be the first country to perfect aerial battleships. This belief is based on inisde information, and from the same source I get reliable statements on which I base my prediction of the early production of an airship of enormous speed.

"I hope to be able to add much to what is known of aerial flight by experiments at Cape Breton Island this summer. My problem this year will be to propel my kites with a specially constructed engine of 15 horse-power, weighing 120 pounds. I hope to get a machine of the heavier-than-air variety that will support a man and the necessary equipment to operate it at low rather than high velocity. Last December I constructed a vehicle that supported itself and a man in a ten-mile breeze. I now want to fly a machine carrying an engine at 10 or 15 miles an hour. If I can accomplish this there is hope that the aviators, or the men who are trying to solve flight on the bird plan, will be able to avoid fatal accidents long enough to learn how to fly. Even a bird has to learn to fly, and, as with the bird, one of the first considerations is safety, so man must learn to go slow before he goes fast.

"I am confident that it will not be long before flying machines will be everywhere. The developments of the next few months will be unprecedented, but the most interesting point is that only very few know how near America is right now to solving a question which will revolutionize warfare throughout the world—I mean the construction of a practical aerial battleship."

Dr. Bell is here to receive the degree of doctor of science at Oxford.

The Fractured Leg.

A visitor was going through the children's surgical ward of one of the city hospitals when he spied a little fellow with his legs in the air and his weight resting on his head and shoulders. Going closer, he saw that the boy's feet were fastened with ropes which passed through a pulley above. At the other ends of the ropes were weights, just heavy enough to hold the boy's legs in the air without lifting him entirely off the bed.

"What's all that about?" asked the visitor. "Doesn't it hurt him?"

"Not at all," answered the physician who was accompanying. "He doesn't look unhappy, does he? That's the way we always handle fractures of the leg with a child. Otherwise the youngsters squirm around so that they work the splints loose. Only one of this boy's legs is injured, but they are both swung in the air for his greater comfort."—New York Post.

Sorrows of a Humorist.

"This thing of being a humorist is about the saddest thing I know," sighed Simeon Ford. "An ordinary person can have his moods and humors as he pleases, but I must always be on the job. I am constantly being invited out, not because I'm liked for myself alone or because of my manly beauty, but because I am expected to entertain the assemblage. The rest of the company may be as dull as dishwater, but if I do not shake up the gathering with a few jokes the hostess glares at me and really feels resentful. I may be sunk in the slough of despond, but just as soon as I take my seat all lean forward and eye me expectantly. My son, never get a reputation for being funny. It is the most mournful thing on earth."—New York Press.

Teeth of Chambermaids.

Have you ever noticed that every chambermaid who has been taking care of the hay and feathers for a number of years is usually devoid of a few teeth of the upper "case?" Veteran chambermaids can seldom show a full set of upper teeth. The absence of the ivories is explained as follows by a downtown dentist: "The teeth of the maids which I replace with artificial ones are pillowcase teeth. They are constantly used in putting on pillowcases and are not strong enough to stand the strain. Their work is a constant wear and tear on the teeth."—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Her Sponge Cake.

A young bride, after serving to her husband a Sunday dinner that was so-so, said as the mince pie was brought on, "I intended, dear, to have some sponge cake, too, but it has been a total failure." "How was that?" the husband asked in a disappointed tone, for he was fond of sponge cake. "The druggist," she explained, "sent me the wrong kind of sponges."

Plenty of Advice.

"I wonder what the secret of Solomon's wisdom was?" said Mr. Meekton's wife.

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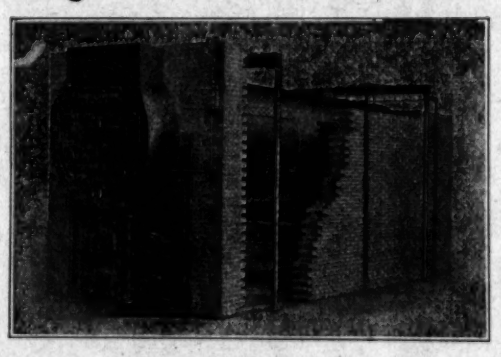

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Happenings and Doings In Society.

By G. N. H.

Miss Josephine Ashe, of Raleigh, is a charming visitor of Miss Margaret Ashe on South Third street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harriss Northrop moved down to Wrightsville Beach during the past week, and are getting their cottage ready for the season.

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Mrs. Clayton Giles and Miss Lucile Murchison were charming hostesses of an entertainment given last Tuesday afternoon to the Colonial Dames.

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The Airlie Dramatic Club has been photographed in groups and as a whole. Some of the pictures are scenes in "My Western Rose."

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The Carolina Yacht Club will be opened for the season on the 15th inst. The walks, gangways and bath houses have been put in thorough repair.

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Mrs. Thomas H. Wright, of Portsmouth, Va., has been welcomed by old friends to this, her former home. Mrs. Wright is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. William B. McKoy, on South Third street.

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Mr. and Mrs. Greene Fenley have as their guest, Mrs. Fenley's sister, Mrs. William G. Eaton, of Covington, Kentucky, who has been cordially greeted by friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fenley.

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Mr. and Mrs. Devereux Lippitt, who have been on a short visit to this, their old home, left during the past week for Bremen, Germany. The best wishes of their friends will go with them to their home across the seas.

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Mrs. William J. Martin, of Raleigh, is on a visit to her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. McMillen. Mrs. Martin was one of the representatives of the Colonial Dames of Raleigh at the unveiling of the Cornelius Harnett monument.

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Mrs. Henry Bacon is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. William B. McKoy, and has met with a warm reception from her friends in Wilmington. Her daughter, Miss Lucy Bacon, who is now in Atlanta, will visit her sister, Mrs. McKoy, in the near future.

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Miss Ella Jacobs was hostess of the F. D. D. Card Club last Friday evening. Much pleasure was experienced by her guests, the F. D. D.'s which is a fine combination for a pleasure-finding and mirth-provoking entertainment.

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It will be of interest to the friends of Mr. Emple Latimer, who is the champion lightweight wrestler of Princeton College, to know that in the recent athletic contests he threw his men, one from Yale and the other from the University of Pennsylvania.

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Mrs. Stephen A. Currie and Miss Eunice Currie have gone to Southport for a visit of a month, at the conclusion of which they will go to the mountains and other resorts. Their friends will be grieved to know that their absence from Wilmington will be of a year's duration.

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The attendance at the golf links of the Country Club is large during these bright pleasant days. Last week in the contest over the links Mr. and Mrs. Charles McMillen won the prizes which were offered, one for ladies and the other for gentlemen, making the best scores.

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A very bright and saucy young lady in speaking of the performance of "My Western Rose," said: "Mr. Empie made love more beautifully than any one she had ever seen, and that he reminded her very much of the way in which—then blushing furiously, she hastily said: "You read of in books."

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Pretty little invitations ornamented with hand-painted pictures have been issued, which are as follows:

Reception
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Much interest is being manifested in the approching marriages which will take place in the early part of June. The respective couples are exceedingly popular in their circle, and the events are looked forward to with pleasurable anticipation by the friends of Miss Emma Northrop and Mr. Howard McClintock, Miss Laura Clark and Mr. Horace M. Emerson, Miss Rosa McPherson and Mr. Charles C. Chadbourn, Miss Susie Parsley and Mr. J. O. Carr.

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The unstinted praises heard from every source of the performance of "My Western Rose" has created a desire on the part of many who were not fortunate enough to have witnessed it at "Airlie," to see it repeated. Would it not be a good idea for "The Airlie Dramatic Club" to give a performance at the Academy of Music in this city? We doubt not that the second performance would be greeted by even a larger audience than the one before which the club established itself as prime favorites. We make this suggestion because of suggestions made to us, and it is hoped that the ladies and gentlemen of the Airlie Dramatic Club can find it convenient to gratify the wishes of a large number who were unable to witness the initial production.

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Misses Bessie and Elovine Burruss were the hostesses of an unusually attractive tea last Thursday afternoon given in compliment to Mrs. Arthur B. Skelding and Miss Elizabeth Brent, of Lexington, Kentucky. A delightful afternoon was spent by the guests, the list of whom is: Mrs. Skelding, Miss Brent, Miss Mary Northrop, Miss Elliotte Emerson, Miss Isabel Rountree, Miss Emma Northrop, Miss Lucy Bridgers, Mrs. Thomas W. Davis, Miss Lizzie Peck, Miss Lizzie May Northrop, Miss Mary Calder, Miss Carrrie Harriss, Mrs. Henry G. Latimer, Jr., Mrs. Edward J. Wood, Miss Margaret Bridgers, Miss Nannie Holladay, Miss Jennie Murchison, Miss Sue McQueen, Mrs. Thomas B. Willard, Mrs. Robert B. Adams, Mrs. Robert H. Gwaltney, Mrs. Jessie F. Roache, Miss Lucile Murchison, Miss Leonora Cantwell, Mrs. Robert C. DeRosset, Miss May Beverly French, Miss Fanny Taylor, Miss Sarah Kenan, Miss Martha Williams, Mrs. Wm. Latimer, Miss Mary Shipp, Raleigh, and Miss Eliza Meares.

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The home of Mr. and Mrs. William Latimer, which had been kindly tendered to the Colonial Dames for the occasion, was the scene of a most beautiful and rather elaborate social function last Thursday evening. Bright lights gleaming from the windows were but indications of the happy scenes which were enacted within the beautiful rooms. Familiar airs from an old-fashioned string band, hidden behind a bank of palms, floated through the rooms during the reception hours, giving a suggestion of ye olden days. The reception was without formality, the guests, of whom there were more than one hundred, formed ever shifting groupes which were on pleasure bent. An especially pleasing feature of the evening was a musical programme of seventeenth century songs which were admirably rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Greene Fenley, Mrs. Thomas M. Green, Mrs. E. K. Bryan and Mr. W. G. Krafft. At the conclusion of the program Mrs. William G. Eaton added to the pleasure of the guests by sweetly singing several catchy songs of the twentieth century. Mrs. Eaton possesses a fine voice which she has under perfect control and her singing added much to the pleasure of the evening. The Dames are hostesses whose reputations are worthy of emulation.

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Miss Elizabeth Brent, of Lexington, Kentucky, is the attractive guest of Miss Margaret Bridgers, and has been warmly welcomed by the many friends of her hostess.

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The Colonial monument to Cornelius Harnett, which has been erected by the untiring efforts of the Colonial Dames of this city, was unveiled last Thursday afternoon with appropriate and impressive ceremonies. Because of the inclemency of the weather these services were held in the Academy of Music. The following programme was observed:

Invocation...Rt. Rev. Robert Strange
Presentation of the Monument to the City.....Mrs. Geo. W. Kidder
Acceptance of the Monument.....Hon. Alfred M. Waddell
Presentation of Certificate of Transfer.....Mrs. James Sprunt
Kipling's Recessional..... Choir
Introduction of Dr. C. Alphonso Smith, of the University of North Carolina....Eugene S. Martin, Esq.
"Star Spangled Banner"..... School Children
Benediction.

The scholarly and interesting address by Dr. C. Alphonso Smith, was well received, and was replete with incidents of the strong character of the man whose memory the monument is to commemorate. At the conclusion of the ceremonies in the Academy of Music the Dames went in a body to the monument which was veiled in the Colonial colors, and amid salvos of artillery, fired by the Naval Reserves, Mrs. George W. Kidder drew the cords holding the veil and the shaft was revealed in all its beauty to the gaze of the beholders. At the conclusion of the salute of thirteen guns, Carolina was sung, and the ceremonies were thus appropriately brought to a close.

EACH BRAVED DEATH

Interesting Incident of Army Service of Capt. John H. Hanby, of Wilmington—Recent Visit After Years to Virginia.

(Richmond News-Leader.)

Norfolk, Va., May 4.—Colonel J. H. Ham, of Morrisons, Va., and Captain J. H. Hanby, of Wilmington, N. C., met unday in the former's Warwick county home after 42 years and the meeting between the Confederate heroes was a most interesting one.

Colonel Ham, now superintendent of public instruction of Warwick county, Va., and one of the bravest of the brave Confederate soldiers in the army of Virginia, was seriously wounded on the field of action during the battle of Second Manassas.

Captain Hanby, of Colonel Ham's command, was nearby at the time. It was thought that Colonel Ham was mortally wounded and amidst a heavy rain of bullets, Captain Hanby started to move his commander from the field.

Colonel Ham realizing the danger for Captain Hanby told him to leave him to die and save himself. Captain Hanby quite as brave as his colonel, refused to leave the injured commander and with the assistance of another wounded soldier, managed to get Colonel Ham from the field of battle.

Physicians who examined Colonel Ham said he would die before the next day.

Captain Hanby remained by his commander, and when the latter improved accompanied him to the hospital at Richmond, where he nursed him until the colonel recovered.

Captain Hanby spent the past week visiting his sister, Mrs. R. C. Etheridge, in Portsmouth. Another feature of Captain Hanby's trip to this section at this time was the simultaneously meeting of himself and two sisters, Mrs. Etheridge, of Portsmouth, and Mrs. C. S. Etheridge, of Baltimore, the three not having met together before in many years.

Captain Hanby spent a day with his niece, Mrs. Bruce Tabb, at 121 Twenty-seventh street, Newport News, and Mrs. Tabb's parents on their farm in Elizabeth City county.

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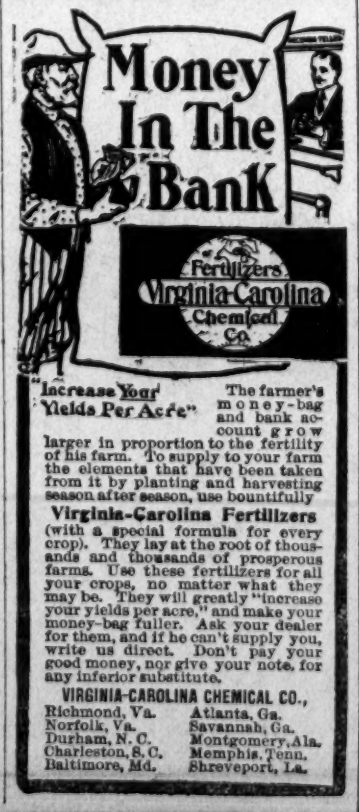

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Executor's Notice.

Having this day qualified as executor of the estate of W. K. Bell, deceased; late of the county of New Hanover, thos is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of the deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 28th day of April 1908 or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immedite payment to the undersigned.

JOHN J. BELL,
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WALTER P. GAFFORD,
Attorney.

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One of the patients who has just returned from your Institute tells me you have a long line of patients. I am glad to hear it. I wish every man in North Carolina who is addicted to drink or drugs was in your Institute now for treatment. With my very best wishes, I am, sincerely yours,

M. B. MEANS.

—Spencer, May 3: George Fox, colored, who early Thursday morning shot and killed Fred Muse, a fellow laborer on the Southern Railway yards here, was given a preliminary hearing before Justice W. L. Ray, of Spencer, today, and was held for the next term of court without bond. Ten witnesses were examined for the State and the evidence brought out was considered very damaging. The defendant was represented by Hudson & Kluttz, attorneys of Spencer, through whom he pleaded not guilty to the charge of murder. It is reported that he rode a wheel six miles for the pistol with which he killed Muse, shooting him through the heart, it is said, without warning.

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"The Woman In White."

In a letter to Charles Dickens, Wilkie Collins intimated the fact that the great work upon which he had devoted so much time was finished, but that the finding of a suitable title had occasioned him much trouble. Eventually, feeling somewhat run down in health, he left London for Broadstairs, a resort which was a favorite with both Dickens and Collins. While lying on the cliff in a meditative mood one bright morning his eyes suddenly riveted themselves on the white lighthouse which stood boldly out in the foreground under the dazzling rays of the midday sun. As he gazed Collins in a semiconscious manner addressed himself in a whisper to the lighthouse. "You are as stiff and as stately as my white woman," said he. "White woman! White wo—the woman in white. Eureka! I have got it!" And so the book was given this curiously inspired title.

The French Idea.

The Frenchman of the middle class sacrifices everything in order to obtain for his children some official position or other, a mean one, perhaps, but a sure one, leading after thirty years of penury to a pension verging on destitution. This is one aspect of the decay of the French race. It is easy to understand that two races are not evenly armed for the struggle for life if one be made up of aspirants to official position and the other of individuals possessing initiative, daring and energy. For this reason do Latin races decline, while Anglo-Saxon races grow and multiply.—Paris Siecle.

Bow and Arrow Fishing.

In the south seas and in various groups of islands in the Indian ocean the aborigines shoot fish with the bow and arrow. The art is extremely difficult, as in taking aim at an object under water the archer has to allow for refraction. If he were to aim directly at the fish as he sees it, he would, of course, miss. Long practice has, however, made the natives expert to a wonderful degree in this sport.—London Saturday Review.

It Was Tough.

The waiter girl knew a thing or two about table etiquette, so she sniffed scornfully as she said, "It's not our custom to serve a knife with pie." "No?" remarked the patron in surprise. "Then bring me an ax."—Christian Register.

He Writes For Money.

Lady Gushington—So your son is a real author! How distractingly interesting! And does he write for money? Practical Dad—Yes; I get his applications about once a week.

Her Perch.

"Did he propose to her on his knees?" "No, but she accepted him on them."

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A Strong Man.

Daughter—Wasn't Julius Caesar one of the strongest men that ever lived, pa? Father—What makes you ask that question, my little girl? Daughter—I was just reading that he threw a bridge over the Rhine.

Belated Testimonials.

If the testimonials of love and faith on our tombstones were uttered in our daily life, how often would they have helped us over the briery fields and rocky roads of existence!—Baltimore American.

Speaking of signs, when you wake up and find a burglar in the house it is a sign that unexpected company has arrived.—Pittsburg Gazette Times.

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Sunday, May 5, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
Weather Bureau.
Wilmington, May 5, 1907.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Saturday, May 4:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 68 degrees; at 8 P. M., 72 degrees; maximum, 82 degrees; minimum, 62 degrees; mean, 72 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .40; rainfall for the month, .55 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Friday, 9.6 feet.

Forecast

For North Carolina—Fair Sunday and Monday; light northeast to east winds.

Port Almanac—May 5.

Sun Rises.....5:04 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:50 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs., 46 min.
High water at Southport 2:41 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 5:11 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. J. W. Ehlers, of Grists, N. C., was in the city yesterday and made a pleasant call at the Star office.

—Mr. H. M. Cammack, representing the Oliver Typewriter Company, is in the city on a business trip.

—Mr. D. H. Jenks, of Raleigh, was among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton.

—Mr. John A. Mills, president of the Raleigh and Southport Railroad, was here yesterday on a business trip.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Orton were Messrs. Nathan Toms, Darlington, S. C.; E. B. Clark, Weldon; W. F. Blount, Fayetteville.

—Mr. Thos. H. Wright, auditor of passenger receipts of the Seaboard Air Line with headquarters in Portsmouth, Va., arrived yesterday to join Mrs. Wright, who has been visiting relatives here for some days.

—Col. Harry Skinner, United States District Attorney of Greenville, N. C., is a guest at The Orton. He is accompanied by his son, Harry Skinner, Esq., of Greenville, who accompanied him to Wilmington from a trip to Washington, D. C.

ON THE HILTON GROUNDS.

City Baseball League Disappointed in New Park—Teams.

The teams of the City Baseball League are much disappointed that efforts for the new park on the suburban line have apparently failed. The grounds for the season will be on the old golf links, where seats will be arranged and a diamond will be laid out in time for the opening or as soon thereafter as possible, the old Hilton grounds being used in the meantime. The golf grounds are just this side of Hilton, and will be more easily reached. The season starts June 1st and 21 doubleheaders will be played on Saturday afternoons. For these games season tickets are being sold, in order to meet the expenses necessary at once, and it is hoped that devotees of the sport in Wilmington will rally to the support of the League, which deserves every encouragement. The teams are fast and will afford the public as near an approach to the professional game as they will find in this State.

Controversy Over Dog.

An interesting controversy over a dog was tried before Justice Furlong yesterday in which Mr. R. C. Cherry was charged by Mr. Wilton with having appropriated to his own use a pet animal that he highly valued. The dog had not been listed for taxation, but he wore a collar which was held by the magistrate to be personal property, and on the charge of appropriating this to his own use, the defendant was bound to the higher court. Walter P. Gafford, Esq., appeared for the prosecution and State Senator Empie represented the man with the dog.

Some Business Changes.

A number of business changes involving well known Wilmington men are reported to be on tapis for the next few weeks. It is stated that Mr. W. L. Smith will go with the J. C. Stevenson Company and that Mr. H. Lacy Hunt will resign as teller of the Murchison National Bank to become confidential man with Messrs. Hall & Pearsall, Incorporated. It is also stated that Mr. Richard Bradley has resigned his position with the Southern National Bank to accept a better position in Baltimore.

Big Crowds at Lumina.

The weather yesterday was inviting for beach travel and the suburban cars were pretty well crowded all day. Last night more than 250 young people were at Lumina for a very delightful dance that was given, the last car returning to the beach about midnight. This afternoon the usual Sunday concert will be given there and half-hour schedules will be maintained.

Billy Kersands' Minstrels.

Billy Kersands' Minstrels come to the Academy tomorrow night and the company is announced as the best attraction of its kind on the road. Among the members of the company are Arthur Maxwell, the world's greatest trick bicyclist; the Alabama Quartette in Napanee, written especially for this production by Will Rossiter; Alonzo Moore, the Black Herman; Kid Langford, "that funny little man," and last but no least, the king of all minstrels, "Billy Kersands."

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Special reduced prices on all Ladies' Suits at A. D. Brown's. **

Read the 30 minute sale every day this week at Rehder's, be on hand. **

LOCAL DOTS.

—Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Miss Leonora V. Morgan and Mr. Thaddeus F. Tyler, both of Wilmington.

—The Wilmington Music Club will have its usual meeting tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Luther Memorial Building. The study will be Mendelssohn.

—Ruben Green and Colon Hardy, both colored, engaged in a fight yesterday afternoon at Front Street market house and were arrested by Officer J. F. Smith. Green had a pistol on his person and will be tried Monday for carrying a concealed weapon.

—In the police court yesterday Maude Williams, a dissolute white woman, charged with being drunk and disorderly, was sent to the farm for 30 days, and Owen Smith, colored, cahrged with maintaining a nuisance on Wright street, near Second, was bound to the higher court under bond of $50.

—The public is asked not to forget the entertainment to be given Wednesday afternoon and evening in the parlors of The Orton for the benefit of carrying on the work of the District Nurse. The ladies of St. Agnes Guild have prepared a delightful programme and dainty refreshments will be served.

—Mr. John R. Morris, who has been with E. Warren & Son for the past five years has accepted a position as manager of Mr. D. L. T. Capps' ice cream parlors and soda fountain business soon to be opened on Princess street. Mr. Morris is an expert in this line and his many friends will be glad to see him at the new store.

—Special services, largely devoted to song, will be held at St. Stephen's A. M. E. Church, colored, this morning and evening. Those who attend will be presented with copies of the soul-stirring "Glory Song" and "The King's Business," which will be sung at each service. The evangelistic services being conducted by Rev. Samuel Nance, of Helena, S. C.

—The public is again asked to take notice of the fact that the lecture of Rev. Wm. P. McKenzie, on Christian Science, has been postponed. It was to have been given in the Court House tomorrow evening, but a telegram came from Mr. McKenzie that it woul be impossible for him to be here at the present time.

—Having secured the building at Fourth and Queen streets, Elder J. W. S. Harvey will preach there today at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subject at 11 A. M., "The Work of the Church"; at 7:30 P. M., "Watchman, What of the Night?" The services will continue each Sunday until further notice.

—The Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage will meet tomorrow for the purpose of electing a Harbor Master of the port under the act recently passed by the Legislature restoring pilotage on the Cape Fear bar. The law requires that the harbor master be elected on the first Monday in May.

—Mr. Claude E. Moss will take charge of the music for the Sunday School of the First Baptist Church. A complete orchestra will at once be organized and a boys' choir of fifty voices will receive special training from Mr. Moss, for their part of the work. Boys from 7 to 15 will be admitted to this choir. The programme of music will be very attractive.

—A long distance telephone message last night from Burgaw states that the special school tax election was carried there yesterday by a majority of 12. A heavy vote was cast. The carrying of the election means that a new $5,000 school building will be erected in Burgaw and that it will probably be established as a high school for the county.

—The Southern Electric Company, of this city, has been awarded the contract for the wiring in the handsome new Grand Lodge Masonic Temple in Raleigh, and for the seventeen cottages being erected by the Wrightsville and Suburban Development Company at the beach. This work was in competition with a large number of firms all over the country and is a compliment to the enterprising Wilmington contractors.

—Contributions to the Catherine Kennedy Home for April: Mrs. M. E. Bridgers, coffee; Mrs. H. F. Wilder, canned goods, eggs; Mrs. E. N. Penny, preserved fruit; a friend, butter; Mrs. William Willson, cream; Mrs. Roger Moore, Mr. J. A. Montgomery, chickens; Mr. A. D. Wessell, oat meal, tea; Mr. J. Hicks Bunting, Mr. R. R. Bellamy, drugs; Mr. J. A. Springer, ice Monthly meeting will be held at the Home Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

—With appropriate ceremonies, including an address by Rev. A. J. Parker, pastor of Bladen Street M. E. Church, Jeff Davis Council, No. 63, Jr. O. U. A. M., will on Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock present a handsome Bible and flag to the Kindergarten of Immanuel Presbyterian Church, Front and Queen streets. The committee in charge of the arrangements is composed of Messrs. E. C. Woodbury, W. E. Yopp, John E. Wood, A. J. Hewlett, and A. Brown.

—Services will be held today in the Christian Church, Disciples, as follows: Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.; preaching and communion at 11 A. M., subject, "The Greatest Love Ever Shown." At 7:45 P. M., the evening service will begin, subject, "The Greatest Book in the World," a chart sermon. Baptism during the day will be administered. The revival will start again today with services each evening at 7:45 P. M. by the pastor, Rev. F. L. Davis. The music will be in charge of Mrs. Davis.

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to be divorced from your appendix. There will be no occasion for it if you keep your bowels regular with Dr. King's New Life Pills. Their action is so gentle that the appendix never has cause to make the least complaint. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy, Druggist. 25c. Try them.

Concert at Lumina.

Music today at Lumina. Cars every half hour. **

There's hardly a hamlet in North Carolina that has not a graduate cured by the Keeley Institute at Greensboro. Write for detailed information. 3t

SOCIETY PERFECTED

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two was decided upon.

Business meetings of the Society will be held annually at Wilmington at a time to be fixed three months in advance by the executive committee, which also has power to call general meetings of the organizations in the State. The executive committee is instructed to issue after each meeting and after each important event in the movement a paper giving the information to members. Sustaining membership in the Society is $5 and life membership is $10.

The presentation of the two handsome silk peace flags did not take place yesterday afternoon but they were prominently displayed on the portico of The Orton where the meeting was being held. It was decided to present these emblems at a public meeting to be held Monday night in the Court House and Rev. R. W. Hogue, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., and Capt. Wm. F. Robertson were appointed to make all the necessary arrangements for the same. The public generally is invited to attend this most interesting meeting.

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you must recollect that it saves the tax payer that amount, and while the writer has no desire to injure any one, at the same time, where the good of the community is involved, we have no right to permit selfish considerations of this character to deter us from advocating a measure that is fraught with so much that is beneficial to all the tax payers, and that will unquestionably redound to the great good of the entire community. If the Court is established nothing in the writer's opinion, will ever induce our people to abolish it—the only surprise will be how we have ever done without it.

ANOTHER TAX PAYER.

THE FILM SUPPRESSED.

No More Views of Thaw Trial at the Bijou on Front Street.

A number of the leading city pastors and prominent citizens yesterday at noon called upon Mayor Waddell at his home and requested that the moving picture exhibition of the Thaw trial and tragedy in progress at the Bijou, on Front street, be suppressed on the grounds that the morals were not good. Several of the laymen in the party who called upon the Mayor told him that they had seen the show and described the scenes, which with the general public knowledge of the tragedy, were held to be too suggestive and the chief of police was requested to stop the exhibition. Chief Williams called upon Messrs. Wells and Howard, and the request was courteously complied with. They stated that had they believed that there was immorality in the views shown and had the ministers called upon them personally they would have been too glad to have discontinued the show without the interference of the police. The Thaw film was supplanted by another which was run with great success during the remainder of the afternoon and evening.

On the Recorder's Court.

Several communications on the Recorder's Court question are crowded out of the Star this morning for lack of space. Inasmuch as the "opposition" has had the boards for some time, only one of the number furnished yesterday is being run today, and that is in favor of the court. Several others of the same tenor and one for the "opposition" are held over until space will permit of their publication.

Big Sale at Rehder's.

Attention is called to the large page advertisement of J. H. Rehder & Co., which is printed in this issue. This week the firm inaugurates a big sale in which some rare bargains are offered and are quoted in the advertisement. The page advertisement will be well worth the reading of the careful buyer in search of bargains.

ROOSEVELT'S NAME HISSED.

Remarkable Demonstration by 20,000 People in New York.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 4.—Two long lines of men and women, probably 20,000 of them, trailed in parade through the streets of the upper and lower East Side late today, as a demonstration of their sympathy for Moyer, Haywood, and Pettibone, the officers of the Western Federation of Miners, whose trial on the charge of killing ex-Governor Steuenenberg, of Idaho, begins next Wednesday at Boise, Idaho. Merging subsequently into one vast crowd at Fortieth Street and Lexington Avenue, a few of the paraders, two or three thousand of them, managed to crowd into Grand Central Place to wind up the demonstation in one of the biggest union labor and Socialistic demonstrations seen in New York in a long time.

There was no disorder. The meeting was called to order by John C. Chase, secretary of the Socialistic party, who introduced Morris Helquist as chairman. When the chairman mentioned the name of President Roosevelt it was received wth a storm of hisses.

"If he has any information regarding the guilt of these men, of incitement to riot and bloodshed, it is his duty to give that information to the people,' he said. "To us,' he continued, "the man who has been elected to the highest office in the land and who uses his power to trample down men whose very lives may depend on the openness and fairness of the public mind, has violated his solemn oath. He is the 'undesirable citizen.'"

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Don't fail to be on hand at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at Rehder's big sale. **

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SPRING BARGAIN WEEKS,
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Saturday, May 11th,
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SPECIAL THIRTY MINUTES SALE.

MONDAY MORNING 10:30 TO 11, MONDAY AFTERNOON 4:30 TO 5—White Linen finished Suiting for Skirts and Suits, 7 1-2c per yard. Limit 10 yards to each customer—Regular price 15c yard.
TUESDAY 10:30 to 11, TUESDAY AFTERNOON 4:30 TO 5—Colgate's 25c Violet Talcum Powder, 10c box. Limit 1 to a customer. Ladies' white Wash Belts, Gilt and Nickel Buckle, 5c.
WEDNESDAY MORNING 10:30 TO 11, AFTERNOON 4:30 TO 5—Men's 50c Patent Seamed Drawers, 25c. Limit 2 pairs to each customer.
THURSDAY MORNING 10:30 TO 11, AFTERNOON 4:30 TO 5—All Silk Taffeta Ribbon, 5-in. wide, all beautiful colors, 12 1-2c per yard. Limit 4 yards to each customer.
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Cost of a Coal Range	$45.00
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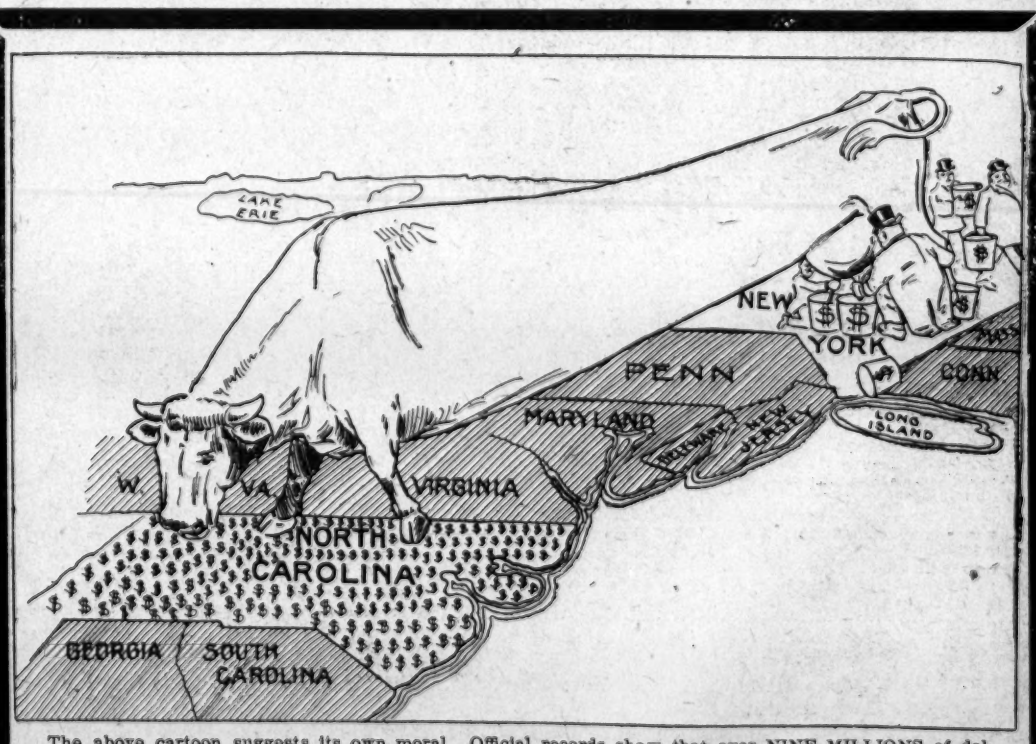

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White Shirt Waiste and Skirts.

$1.25 White Linen Skirts 98c..
50cc Shirt Waists 39c.
$1.50 White Lawn Waists Trimmed with good Val Lace. This Sale 98c.
$2.00 Fine Quality Lawn Waist Embroideried Front $1.48.
$6.50 Fine Panama Skirts Navy Black and Gray for $4.98.

WHITE GOODS.

10c White Lace Striped Lawn 5c. per yard.
12 1-2c. White Madras 9 1-2c.
12 1-2 Dotted Swiss 9 1-2c.
10c White India Linen Lawn 7 1-2c.
36 in 10c. White Lawn 7 1-2c.
15c White Persian Lawn 11 1-2c.
19c Persian and India Linen 13 1-2c.
40 in Persian Lawn. This Sale 15c.
25c 45 in White French Lawn 18 1-2c
$1.25 English Long Cloth 12 yards to the piece, 98c.
25c White Madras beautiful line of patterns 19c.
35c White Madras and Plaid Batise, large assortments of patterns 23c.
$1.75 English Long Cloth 12 yads to the piece $1.48 the piece.

BIGGEST BARGAINS.

Imitation Torchon Lace 5c value. This Sale 3c.
10c Embroidery the yard 7 1-2c.
12 1-2c Embroidery, the yard 9 1-2c.
Val. Laces the dozen 10c., 19c. and 39c.

SHEETS PILLOW CASES AND SPREADS.

72x90 Hemmed Sheets. This Sale 49c.
$1.25 81x90 very fine Hemstitched Sheets 98c.
19c. 41x36 White Pillow Cases, each13 1-2c.
Pillow Cases 45x36, each 10c.
White Bed Spreads 49c.
$1.00 White Bed Spreads, good quality 69c.
$1.25 White Bed Spreads, good quality 98c.
$1.50 full size Bed Spreads $1.19.
$3.50 Extra Fine quality, full size Bed Spreads. This Sale $2.98.

HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR.

10c Ladies' Bleached Ribbed Vest Tape Neck and Sleeve. This sale 7c.
19c Bleached Vest Tape Neck. This Sale 12 1-2c. each.
Misses 15c. Black Lace Hose, size 6 to 9, 10c.
19c. White, Black and Tan Lace Hose 12 1-2c.
Ladies' 50c Plain Black Lisle Hose 3 pairs for $1.00.

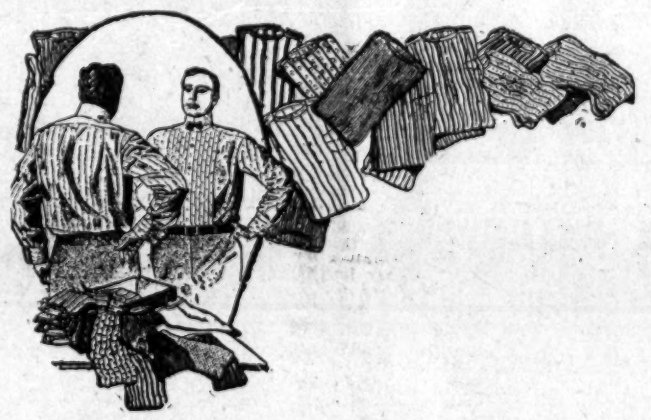
Small Notions.

Hooks and Eyes the dozen 1 c. Good needles the paper 1c. Good Pins the paper 1c. 5c Pearl Buttons the dozen 1c. Hair Pins the package 1c. Good White Tape the roll 1c. Good Darning Cotton White Black and Tan, the ball 2c. Safty Pins the paper 3c. Good F. S. Braid White and Colors the bunch 3 1-2c. 10c good quality Pearl Button the dozen 4c. 1 pound good Note paper and Envelopes the box 4c. White Embroidered Belts 9c., 15c. and 25c. White, Red and Black Patent Leather Belts 8c.

Table Linen and Towels.

BLEACHED TOWELS GOOD SIZE.

4c each or 45c. the dozen.
15c Bleached Huck Towels 19x42. This Sale 10c. each.
35 all Linen Towels 20x38 Huck or Damask. This Sale 23c.
56 in Bleached Table Damask. This Sale 25c.
66 in Mercerized Table Damask 49c. worth 75c.
$1.25 72 in Bleached Table Linen 98c.



GENTS FURNISHINGS.

Suspenders 15c. good quality. This Sale 11 1-2.

Suspenders 25c. good quality. This Sale 18 1-2c.

25c. Men's and Boys' Leather Belts, Brown and Black 15c.

50c. Leather Belts, Black and Brown This Sale 39c.

25c Ties Four-in-Hand, Puffs and Tecks, beautiful patterns. This Sale 18 1-2c.

10c. Fancy Bows 4c each or 39c the dozen.

10c. Plain Black, Tan, Red, Blue, Gray and fancy 1-2 Hose. This Sale 7 1-2c.

19c Fancy and Plain 1-2 Hose 12 1-2.

Men's 25c Summer Undershirts and drawers, each 19c.
50c Men's Balbbriggan Shirts 39c.
50c Balbriggan Drawers 39c.
39c. Men's Fancy Negligee Shirts, fancy patterns, all sizes, 25c.
75c. Negligee Shirts, good quality, all sizes, 49c.
Boys' Shirts, white and colored, 42c; regular 50c.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR.

35c Corset Covers Trimmed with good Lace 25c.

85c. Corset Covers, Lace Trimmed, Lace and Insertion this Sale 69c.

85c Night Gowns, Embroidered or Lace Trimmed. This Sale 69c.

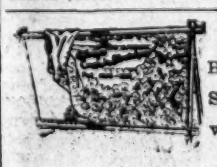
$1.25 Night Gowns, Lace Yoke round or square yoke, good Cambric. This Sale 98c.

$1.25 Skirts, Good Muslin, 85c.

$1.50 Skirts, deep Embroidery flounce, $1.19.

$5.50 Black Silk Underskirts. This Sale $4.25.

$2.50 black imitation Silk Underskirts $1.75.



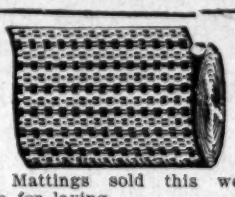
Best kind $2.50 Stretcher. this week only $1.75.

Men's 7.50 Blue Serge Coat and Pants. This week $5.00.
Double and Single Breasted $7.50 Cashimere and Woosteds, all sizes. This Sale $5.00.
$12.50 and $13.50 all-wool, Sponge Shrunk Blue Serges. This Sale $10.00.
Boys' $1.50 Suits, sizes 7 to 15 years, $1.19.
Boys' $3.00 Suits, new style, $2.25.
Boys' Linen and White Duck Pants 25 and 50c.
Men's Office Coats 35c.
Men's $2.25 Cashimere and Woosted Pants $1.50.
$3.00 and $3.50 Outing Pants. This Sale $2.50.
$1.50 Fancy Vests. This Sale 98c.

MILLINERY.

Cut Prices on latest style Sailors.
We are showing 35 different styles.
50c and 75c. Trimmed Hats and shapes. This Sale 25c.
35c Taffeta and Messeline Ribbon, all colors. This Sale 24c.
15c. Taffetta Ribbon. This Sale 9c.
Bargains in Mexican Drawn Work, Linen covers and Center pieces.
Misses and Children's 50c 65 and 75c Sailors. This Sale 39c.
39c White Sailors. This Sale 25c.

Baby Caps 9c.
25c. Baby Caps 19c.
75c Baby Caps 49c.



All Mattings sold this week no charge for laying.
35c. Matting. This week 25c.
25c. yard wide Linoliun 19c the yard.
$2.25 Velvet Rugs, size 27x54 $1.69.
$1.50 Japanese Rugs size 29x54 $1.00.
$2.00 Japanese Rugs, size 36x72 $1.39
$2.00 Light Weight Summer Comforters at $1.48.

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS.

39c White Wash Silks 25c.
50c White Jap Silks. This Sale 39c.
Arnolds 50c Silk Dotted or Striped Batiste 25c.
65c. Fancy Silk Mulls beautiful patterns. This Sale 39c.
Yard wide Taffeta Silks Black and colors worth $1.25. This week 98c per yard.
44 in Black Navy and Brown Violle worth $1.25. This sale 95c.

$1.00 White Canvas Oxfords 69c.
$1.25 quality 98c.
$2.50 new style Tan Oxfords $1.75.
$2.00 Ladies' Patent Leather Pump and Side Lace Oxfords $1.50.
See the new styles in Dolly Madison Slippers and Crawford Oxfords.

Remember this sale lasts but SIX DAYS. No goods sent on approval. Terms strictly cash. All parcels delivered promptly. Extra salespeople will be here to wait on you and you will receive the same courteous treatment and quick service as you always do.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Red Springs Citizen: Cam Weatherly, a Croatan, living on Miss Ann Eliza Buie's place, six miles from Red Springs, committed suicide Monday by shooting himself in the head. He was supposed to be despondent through ill health.

—Red Springs Citizen: Little Bonnie McGirt, the seven-year-old daughter of M. John K. McGirt, who was severely burned sometime ago, died last Saturday morning. It was thought that she would recover, as her wounds had almost healed, but her strength failed and she died from prostration.

—Raleigh News and Observer, May 4: It was learned last night that Senator Simmons had sold his handsome residence on Fayetteville street to Mr. J. H. Robbins. The residence was erected by the late Mr. Charles D. Upchurch, and was obtained at a bargain by Senator Simmons some years ago. The price paid by Mr. Robbins has not been learned, but is reported to be in the neighborhood of $10,000.

—Albemarle, N. C., May 3: The genial clerk of Montgomery county, C. A. Armstrong, was here Saturday with a party of officials of the Charlotte & Durham Railway. The road has nearly been completed to Troy, and the prospective survey of this seems to look with favor upon Albemarle. If so, the road will pierce this county from east to west, and would mean much to the county as a whole. President Lenning seemed to be most favorably impressed with Albemarle as a town, and the promising future that lies before it.

—Greenville, May 3: Last night two negroes broke into the store on W. G. Stokes at Stokes in this county and robbed it of clothing and various articles of merchandise. The postoffice was also broken into, supposedly by the same parties. Today the robbers were trailed by dogs up the railroad to Parmele. This afternoon the negroes were caught in Bethel and had two suits of new clothing, several pairs of shoes, other articles of merchandise and some money. They were brought to Greenville on the evening train and placed in jail.

—At Raleigh on Friday the Secretary of State chartered the High Point Aerial Wheel Company, of High Point. The objects are to manufacture, build construct, erect and operate aerial wheels for sale and profit, also to sell town, city, county and State patent rights. The capital stock authorized, $50,000, with $20,000 subscribed. The incorporatiors are, Messrs. F. E. Thomas, C. B. Raper, E. W. Mellichampe and Phil L. Lance, of High Point.

—Salisbury, May 3: Charles S. Adams, a well known traveling salesman of Greensboro, lost a hand and narrowly escaped a sudden death under the wheels of a passenger train at the Salisbury station at midnight last night. He was awaiting the arrival of a late train, and took a seat against the side of a building near the tracks where he unconsciously went to sleep. The approaching train awakened him and he fell under the wheels which severed one hand and otherwise injured his body. He was carried to a hospital for treatment.

—Charlotte, N. C., May 3: A determined effort is being made to bring to Charlotte on May 22, 23 and 24, the eleventh annual convention of the North Carolina Bankers' Association, which was scheduled to meet in Durham. Owing to the burning of Durham's largest and best hotel the Carrolina, last night, it is thought that the convention will be moved from that city and in that case there will be hardly any doubt as to Charlotte getting the meeting. The local bankers of this city met this morning in the First National Bank and extended an invitation to the association to meet in Charlotte in the event it is deemed advisable to change the meeting place.

—Marion, May 3: The building of the South and Western railroad from Marion to Altapas, a distance of about 27 miles, has been let to contract and the road will be completed, it is said, within 12 months. The successful bidder for the work was a New York contracting company, which, contrary to expectation and first report, secured the contract over the W. J. Oliver Co. bid. There are now 11 camps on the 27 miles of construction, and it is said that at all these camps there are in the neighborhood of 2,000 employed. Last Saturday was pay day and when the men had received their pay many of them left. It s understood, however, that they have returned and are now at work for the new contractors. There are 17 tunnels along the new railroad, all practically complete, with the exception of the longest. This tunnel is, nevertheless, more than half complete. There is probably 400 feet more of tunnelling at one side. The 27 miles of construction is going smoothly and in places the rails have been laid and everything made ready for operation. It is believed the entire job will be completed in less than 12 months.

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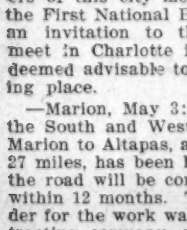

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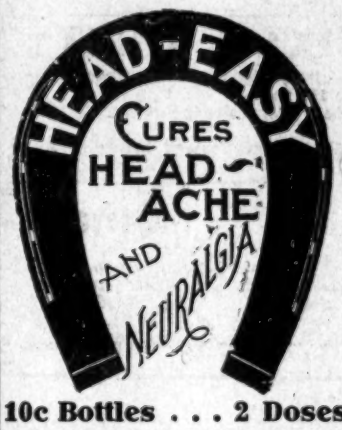

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Lv Wilminrton	9 40 a m	6.35 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12.07 p m	9.32 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	2 40 p m	11.15 p m
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Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.12 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.37 a m
Ar New York	7.20 a m	3.00 a m

SOUTHBOUND

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv New York	9.25 a m	9.25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	1.55 a m	12.01 a m
Ar Baltimore	3.12 p m	2.32 a m
Ar Washington	3.21 p m	3.45 a m
Ar Norfolk		8.30 a m
Lv Richmond	7.25 p m	8.25 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8.05 p m	9.13 a m
Ar Weldon	9.53 p m	11.35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar Wilson	11.40 p m	2.15 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6.58 a m	3.12 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10.20 am	6.10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND

	Daily	Daily	Daily
Lv Wilm'ton	5.40 am	3.35 pm	6.35 pm
Ar Florence	9.35 am	7.30 pm	4.15 am
Ar Columbia	12.45 pm	11.10 pm	am
Ar. Ch'lest'n	1.40 pm	11.37 pm	7.05 am
Ar Savannah	6.45 pm	2.55 am	9.30 am
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	Daily	Daily
Lv Tampa	9.00 pm	10.30 am
Lv Jacksonville	8.55 am	8.05 pm
Ar Savannah	12.55 pm	1.15 am
Lv. Charleston	5.30 pm	6.15 am
Lv Columbia	4.30 pm	6.45 am
Ar Florence	8.10 pm	9.25 am
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Leave Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville	Leave Beach
x 6.40 a m	x6.30 a m	
x 8.30 a m	x8.00 a m	
10.00 a m	xx9.00 a m	
11.30 a m	11.00 a m	10.45 a m
1.30 p m	12.30 p m	12.15 p m
3.00 p m	2.25 p m	2.16 p m
5.00 p m	4.25 p m	4.15 p m
6.30 p m	5.55 p m	5.45 p m
8.00 p m	7.30 p m	
9.30 p m	9.00 p m	
11.00 p m	10.30 p m	

x Daily except Sunday.

xx Sundays this car will leave Wrightsville at 10:00 a. m. instead of at 9:00 a. m.

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The Making of a Successful Husband

By CASPAR S. YOST.

Do Not Fail to Be Courteous at Home, Always Realizing That It Is More Judicious to Be Polite to Your Own Wife Than to Your Neighbor's.

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MY DEAR JOHN—Do you remember Colonel Hosea Perkins, who used to live just around the corner from us on William street? Of course you do. Nobody could forget that stately figure and that ceremonious bow with which he punctuated every greeting. Old Perkins is dead now, but I'll bet a horse that he's doffing his crown every two minutes—that is, if he's gone to a place where crowns are supposed to be a necessary article of wearing apparel. He was the most painfully polite man I ever saw. His genuflections and

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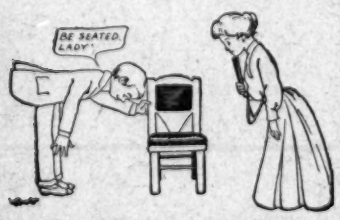
"beg pardons" used to get on my nerves until I could hardly refrain from a protest. He wouldn't wear his hat in the presence of ladies, and I've seen him standing on a street corner bareheaded in the broiling sun for an hour at a time while he talked with a female acquaintance.

I am reminded of Perkins by some actions of yours that I noticed while you and Anna May were visiting us last week. That old hypocrite was the embodiment of exaggerated courtesy to every one he met, with the single exception of his wife. Unless he had company he would drop his manners on his front porch and on the other side of his threshold become the most disagreeable reprobate that ever wore a long suffering woman to the grave.

I don't mean to intimate, my boy, that there is any resemblance between you and old Perkins, but I saw when you were here that you were already beginning to follow the general tendency of persons who wear trousers and forgetting at home some of the amenities you would never overlook outside. It's so easy to do. We are all naturally savages, prone to drop the social graces whenever we think nobody's looking and our families are supposed to kindly shut their eyes. Yet the little ceremonies and verbal expressions which constitute our everyday code of etiquette were designed for the sole purpose of smoothing the rough edges of our intercourse with the world, the flesh and the devil and keep us from flying at one another's throat, as we would like so much to do.

A Potent Force.

Next to the Christian religion politeness is the most potent force in the world today, and it is just as effective in one's own home as it is in the house across the street. Now, without any more beating around the bush, I want to say a few things to you on this sub-



You were almighty particular how you acted.

ject, and I want to put 'em to you straight. When you have read this letter once, read it over again and get it stuck into your head so it won't slip loose.

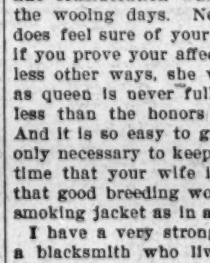
I wasn't around when you were "settin' up" to Anna May, but I'll bet a pile of good hard dollars that you were almighty particular how you acted when you were in her presence. There was nothing in the shape of courtesy that was any too fine for her when you came a-wooing. You had all your graces and some you had borrowed, I have no doubt, out for her inspection. You had old Chesterfield beaten so bad you could see daylight between you. Yes, you did. I wasn't there, but I know. That little girl you were exceedingly careful about then is your wife now, but in the change she has lost none of her rights. She is just as much entitled to the observance of the forms of courtesy as before—more than then, for as your wife she should hold a higher and more honored place in your life than as your sweetheart. Yet I noticed last week that you did not lift your hat when you met her downtown. I noticed that you allowed her to pick her own way along the street, to step up to the curbstone without any effort of assistance from you. I noticed when we dined at the hotel that you left her to grope through the mysteries of the menu unaided, while you contemplated the most desirable dishes for the satisfaction of your own precious stomach.

The old man isn't asleep, my son, if he does nod occasionally after his meals, and when I saw these little signs of ingrowing selfishness it worried me. Reminds me of a colt my father used to own down on the old farm. It was a frisky critter, as all colts are, but father was very proud of it and delighted in showing it to visitors. As a rule, when he wanted to exhibit the colt it was in the pasture, and one of the most vivid recollections of my boyhood days is that dignified old gentleman chasing that dern fool colt over a ten acre field. He would trot along and appeal to the colt in tones of strained honey. He would pretend to offer a regular cornucopia of things that horses are supposed to sigh for. The colt would coyly wait until he was almost within reach; then, with a sniff of disdain, it would raise its tail straight up in the air and gallop to the other side of the pasture. Finally the little beast would allow itself to be caught, just like a woman, and once he had his hands on him the old gentleman would let loose a flood of unprofane cuss words that would shuck the corn in the barn. "Contaminate your measly hide," he would shout, "I feel like breaking every bone in your onregenerate carcass!" But he never did. My parent was a humane man, and, besides, the colt was valuable.

Before and After.

That's just the way with a great many men after they marry. They will pursue a woman with sorghum eloquence, write sonnets on the classic outlines of her snub nose, crawl on their knees before her like the devotees of a heathen goddess and after they get her treat her like a convict or lose interest in her and let her get along the best way she can. And some of these fellows really love their wives too. They simply think that the pretty words and gentle courtesies of courtship are features of the chase and are superfluous and foolish after the capture. They seem to forget that getting a wife is one thing and keeping her is another, as the records of the divorce courts show, but the same processes are effective in both.

But, you say, a man can't always be on his best behavior; he can't always sit around his own house in full dress; he can't make daily use of the stilted ceremonies of polite society in his home life. There you are wrong and you are right. If there is any place on earth that a man should be on his best behavior, it is at home, but I do not mean by that that he should put in practice all the purely artificial forms of social etiquette. Heaven forbid! No one detests meaningless ceremony more than I do. But the courtesies that spring from the heart, that are the outward manifestations of a desire to please or to be of service to its object, are entirely different. To the true gentleman they are as natural as the circulation of his blood. He can no more dispense with them than he can with his breath. It is a pity that so few of us are true gentlemen. Most of us are selfish to the bone, and genuine courtesy is an evidence of forgetfulness of self, a virtue which we have to cultivate. If it is worth while to be a gentleman at all—and I never heard anybody express any doubts on that point—it is certainly worth while to be a gentleman at home. The good opinion of your wife is of more importance to you than the opinions of all the rest of the people of the world put together. Yet you would fail to show to her the courtesy which you would bestow upon another as a matter of course and feel ashamed if you were remiss in the least particular.



Would raise its tail up in the air.

Cultivate Home Etiquette.

No, you can't do a better thing than to treat your wife at least as well as you do your neighbor's. She will appreciate it. I can say that with emphasis, for nothing hurts a woman more than the apparent loss of that fine consideration which distinguishes the wooing days. No matter if she does feel sure of your love, no matter if you prove your affection in numberless other ways, she who has reigned as queen is never fully satisfied with less than the honors due to royalty. And it is so easy to gratify her. It is only necessary to keep in mind all the time that your wife is a woman and that good breeding works as well in a smoking jacket as in a dress suit.

I have a very strong recollection of a blacksmith who lived in the little village where I went to school when a boy. He was a great, brawny, rough looking fellow, whose face and hands were grimed by the smoke of the forge. He seldom wore a coat and never a collar except on Sunday, but he was one of the truest gentlemen I have ever known, and his wife was envied by every other woman in the village simply because of his deference to her

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in private as well as in public. He was a rustic Bayard, but his chivalry was as pure and true as that of any broadcloth attired city man. No, my son, genuine courtesy is not a matter of dress or of ceremony, and in practicing it at home you don't have to sacrifice your own comfort to an extent worthy of consideration. On the other hand, it pays wonderfully in the pleasure it gives to your wife and, by reflection, to you. It pays in the grace it gives to your own character, and, better than all else, it pays in its influence upon the character of your family. Some of these days, unless you are different from the majority of mankind, you will be a father. Your children will be very much as you make them, and your actions will have more to do with the making than your commands. They will, consciously or unconsciously, copy your faults as well as your virtues, and the courtesy you display in their presence will, in some part at least, become fixed habits with them. Your own training has been such that I do not fear you will go far wrong in this particular, but notwithstanding this I have seen evidence that you are not holding up to the old man's standard, and I want you to be right—all right.

But Don't Overdo It.

Now, John, don't misunderstand me. I don't want you to be a jumping jack in the box at home or anywhere else. Extremes are always odious, and politeness may be so overdone that it becomes a pain instead of a pleasure to its object. Men like old Perkins simply make themselves ridiculous. True politeness is never obtrusive. The test of a well dressed man is your inability to remember what he wore. If he be inclined to foppishness, the conspicuousness of his attire will arrest your attention, as well as your condemnation. On the other hand, the absence of any part of the correct costume or an exhibition of untidiness or carelessness in the wearing is always conspicuous. So with politeness. It is greatly missed when it is absent. It should be unnoticeable when it is present. That is the brand to use in the home as well as outside of it. If you take it off when you hang your hat up in the hall, you can bet your sweet life that Anna May will miss it, and the missing will hurt.

I don't want you to be a jumping jack.

Don't greet her with a grunt, but with a kiss. I wouldn't advise you to apply that form of courtesy to others, but in the home the customary forms may be modified, or, rather, magnified, for love and not custom dictates there. Don't take the best chair in the room unless she commands it. She probably will insist on reserving the most comfortable rocker for you, but you should never get into the habit of taking things for granted. Show her that you think of her first, that her ease and health and happiness stand foremost in your thoughts, and there isn't any doubt about her reciprocation. However much he may wish to do, the man usually gets the best of the bargain in the matter of attentions at home, but he shouldn't get the idea into his noggin that nothing is expected of him. Everything that is tender and solicitous and courteous and loving is expected of him. It is so easy to feel that these things are of no avail, because they are so often unaccepted or apparently unnoticed, but you can't make a greater mistake than to omit them.

She will insist on reserving the most comfortable rocker for you.

Be polite to your wife, John, whether you are at home or abroad. It doesn't cost you a red cent, it need not inconvenience you in the least, but it means an almighty lot to Anna May and just as much to you. Yours affectionately,

JOHN SNEED.

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Behind the Game.

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SEMI-ANNUAL BARGAIN WEEK

MAY 6TH TO MAY 11TH

Sale will begin Monday Morning at 9 O'clock, and the announcement will suffice to send a thrill of expectation throughout the length and breadth of our city. For has not this biennial event on many previous occasions proven its worth and earned its laurels? And as "Ever Onward" and "Always Busy" are the watch words of this ever watchful store, you may rest assured that every possible effort has been made to assure you this Bargain Week Sale will have a brilliant career.

Our Mr. Polvogt is now in the Northern Markets to secure additional Bargains, and we are convinced Beyond the pale of doubt that the values we shall offer every day of this sale will out shine and excel anything yet accomplished by us or any other store in our city. Sale will last one week---During the sale Double Trading Stamps will be given away.

Bargain Week Sale. One Week May 6th to May 11th. Double Trading Stamps.

Dress Goods

This week we will outdo our best previous efforts in offering you bargains in this department—DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.
52-in. Black Panamas, our $1.00 seller, good value. Sale price 85c.
$1.25 Black and Navy Blue Panama, 52-in. wide Chiffon finish. Bargain week price $1.00 per yard.
$1.25 Heavy Panama, Brown and Navy only. Bargain week price $1.00 per yard.
$1.25 Gray Suitings, 56-in. wide, new and nobby; only $1.00 per yard.....
$1.25 Novelty Check Suitings, also striped. Bargain week price $1.00 per yard.
15 pieces English Suiting. Special Bargain Week Sale 48c.
50c Colored Batiste and Nun's Veiling. Sale price 35c.

Silk Sale

$1.50 Warranted Black Taffeta Silk. Wear guaranteed. Only $1.20.
$1.25 Black Warranted Taffeta, 36-in. wide. Bargain Week Sale only $1.00 per yard.
$1.25 and $1.50 Colored Taffeta Silk, 36-in. wide. Bargain Week Sale only $1.00 per yard.
75c Crepe de Chine, all colors. Bargain Week Sale 59c.
$1.75 Chiffon Cloth, 45-in. wide, in Black and White. Bargain Week Sale $1.25 per yard.
$1.00 figured Novelty Taffeta Silks, large assortment to select from. Sale price 82c.
59c Printed Jap Habutai Silk. Bargain Week Price 49c.
$1.25 Plaid and Roman stripe Silk. Bargain Week Sale 90c.
27-in. Foulard Silk in dots and rings. Bargain Week Price 90c.
75c White Jap Silk, 36-in. wide. Bargain Week Price 60c.

Ladies Undervests

We bought our stock of Ladies' Underwear before the advance. Double Trading Stamps with every sale.
12 1-2 Ladies' Ribbed Vests, fine gauge. Bargain Week Price 3 for 25c
15c Ribbed Lisle Vests, 60 dozen to dispose of during Bargain Week Sale at 11c
25c Ladies' Ribbed Lisle Vests, extra quality. Bargain Week Price 19c.
25c Tan Lace Ladies' Hose. Bargain Week Price 20c.
Children's Ribbed Hose, black. Bargain Week Sale 7c a pair.

White Goods Bargains

Prices quoted below are special low prices considering the great advance in Cotton Goods.
DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.
15c and 20c Fancy White Goods, stripe, checked and Piqua. Bargain Week Price only 10c per yard.
8c White India Linen. Bargain Week Price only 5c per yard.
5,000 yards 15c Linene, 36-in. wide. Bargain Week Price 12½c.
India Linen worth 12½c. Bargain Week Price 10c.
15c India Linen, this sale 12c.
20c India Linen, this sale 15c.
25c India Linen, this sale 20c.
25c French Lawn, 45-in., only 19c.
50c French Lawn, 45-in., only 39c.
65c French Lawn, 45-in., only 50c.
50c French Batitse, 39c.
30c French Batiste, 25c.
15c Persian Lawn, only 12c.
20c Persian Lawn, only 15c.
25c Persian Lawn, only 20c.
10-4 all linen Sheeting, our $1.25 value. This Sale at $1.00 per yard.
20c Henley Serges in stripes and checks. Bargain Week Price 16c.
Costume linen, all shades, 36-in. wide; 40c value. This Week 33c.
50c Silk Embroidered Batiste. Bargain Week Sale 35c per yard.

Notions! Notions!

15c Box Sweet Soap, 3 cakes for 10c.
2 Cakes Black and White Soap for 5c.
3 Cakes 25c Glycerine Soap this sale for 21c a Box.
Brown's Talcum Powder, 10c. a Box.
3 Balls Darning Cotton for 5c.
18 to 35c Swiss and Nainsook Embroideries on display during Bargain Week Sale, 15c per yard.
5c Torchon Laces in odd patterns, Bargain Week prices 2c per yard.
Ladies' Linen Stock Collars, also Embroidered ones, Sale price 10c.
Ladies' Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, worth 10c each; Bargain Week Sale only 5c each.
TRUNKS, SUIT CASES AND BAGS.
We are ready for your wants in this Department. Special low prices during our Bargain Week Sale. No charge will be made for marking name on either Trunk or Bags.

Long Cloth and English Nainsook

No. 21 English Nainsook, 12 yards to piece, worth $1.65. Bargain Week Price, $1.35.
No. 23 English Nainsook, 12 yards to piece, worth $2.25. Bargain Week Price, $1.75.
No. 50, 12 yards Nainsook, 40-in. wide, fine quality, worth $2.50. Bargain Week, $2.00.
No. 1095 Long Cloth, 12 yards to piece, worth $1.25. Bargain Week Price 95c for piece.
No. 200 Long Cloth, 12 yard pices, worth $1.50 for piece. Bargain Week Price, $1.20.
No. 500 Long Cloth, 12 yards to piece, worth $2.25 a piece. Bargain Week Price, $2.00.

Ladies Suit Department

WHEN WE SAY BARGAINS we back it up with Merchandise at reduced Prices. Double Trading Stamps.
$30.00 Fancy and Novelty Coat Suits. Bargain Week Price, $25.00.
$25.00 Novelty and Panama Coat Suits. Bargain Week Price, $20.00.
$17.50 Panama Suits $14.00, in Black, Navy and Brown.
$6.00 Panama and Novelty Skirts, all sizes. Bargain Week Sale, $5.00.
$4.50 Batiste Pleated Skirts, Black and Navy. Bargain Week Price, $3.50.
$5.00 Special leader Panama Skirts, Navy and Black. Bargain Week Price, $4.50 each.
$12.00 Black Voille Skirts, Taffeta Silk trimmed. Bargain Week Price, $10.00 each.
$1.50 Black Sateen Skirts. Bargain Week Sale, $1.20 each.
$1.25 Ladies' White Lawn Shirt Waists. Bargain Week Price only $1.00 each.
A reduction of 10 per cent. on all other White Lawn Shirt Waists. Prices, $1.50 to $4.50 each.

One Hour Sales

Monday, May 6th, from 10 to 11 o'clock, we will place on sale 2,000 yards White French Lawn, 45-inch wide, real value 30c per yard; for one hour we will sell for 18c per yard—limit 10 yards to a customer.
DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.
Tuesday, May 7th, from 10 to 11 o'clock, we will sell 3,000 yards Colored Figured Organdies and Lawns, worth 12 1-2c to 18c; for this hour at 8 1-2c per yard—limit 12 yards to one customer.
DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.
Wednesday, May 8th, from 10 to 11 o'clock, we will sell 30 pieces of Foulard and Figured Jap Silks, worth 50 to 75c, for one hour 35c per yard.
DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.
Thursday, May 9th, from 10 to 11 o'clock, we will sell our stock of Fancy Mohair and Panama Suitings, worth 85 to $1.00 per yard; for the hour we will sell for 60c per yard.
DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.
Friday, May 10th, from 10 to 11 o'clock, we will sell 200-odd Corsets—W. B., American Beauty and Glove Fitting Corsets, worth $1.00 to $2.50 pair; for one hour your choice 69c.
DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.
Saturday, May 11th, from 10 to 11 o'clock, we will sell 200 White Linene Skirts, nicely made, all sizes, worth $1.50 each; for one hour they go at 95c each.
DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.

Ladies Muslin Underwear

Ladies' Muslin Gowns, neatly made; sold for $1.00. Baragin Week Sale, 85c.
$1.50 Ladies' Gowns, lace and embroidered trimmed. Bargain Week Sale $1.20.
Our $1.75 and $2.00 Ladies' Gowns, long or short sleeves. Bargain Week Price $1.40 each.
25c dozen Children's Muslin Drawers. Bargain Week Sale 16c a pair.
Ladies' tucked and ruffled Drawers, worth 50c. Sale Price 30c a pair.
Ladies' Muslin Underskirts, lace and embroidery trimmed, worth $1.25 each. Bargain Week Price $1.10 each.

Towels! Towels!

Largest assortment of Turkish Bath and Linen Towels ever shown in our city.
DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.
40c extra large and heavy Turkish Towels. Bargain Week Sale, 30c, or $1.75 for half dozen.
30c extra fine and large Turkish Towels. Bargain Week Price, 22c, or $1.25 for half dozen.
20c Bleached Turkish, good quality. Bargain Week Price, 15c each.
15c Bleached Turkish Towel, good size. Bargain Week Price, 11c each.
15c Huck Towel, red border, large size. Bargain Week Price, 10c each.
35c large Hemstitched Huck Towel. Bargain Week Price, 25c each.
$1.25 fine Bleached Damask Towel. Bargain Week Price, 75c each.
10 other Towel Bargains will be displayed druing our Bargain Week Sale.

Table Damask

It will pay you to buy now and lay them aside for future need.
50c Bleached Table Damask, 42c.
65c Heavy Mercerized Bleached Table Damask. Bargain Week Price, 50c.
72-in. Heavy Bleached Table Damask, Linen and Mercerized, only 65c; worth 75c and 85c.
$1.00 Satin finished Linen Damask, 72-in. wide, worth $1.00 and $1.15. Bargain Week Price only 85c per yard.
72-in. finest Bleached Table Damask, all linen, worth $1.25. Bargain Week Price only $1.00.
$1.25 Mercerized Napkins to match Table Damask. Bargain Week Price, $1.10.
All Linen Napkins. Bargain Week Price only 90c a dozen.
Larger size all linen Napkins. Bargain Week Price, $1.25 per dozen.
$2.00 Napkins, $1.65; $2.25 Napkins, $1.95; $2.50 Napkins, $2.25; $3.00 Napkins, $2.50.

Millinery Department

Decide now to get another hat for yourself! DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS. During this sale we will make no charge for trimming hats.
Full assortment of all new shapes still on hand.
Sailor Hats, 50c, $1.00, $1.50 and upward.
Children's trimmed Sailors, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and upward.
Full assortment of Persian Ribbons, Velvet Ribbons, Flowers and Ornaments.

Carpets, Mattings

Infants' Lawn and Lace Caps, 25c, 50c, 75c to $1.5 0each.
Boys' Caps in cloth and leather, 25c and upwards.
We offer you our stock of Carpets and Art Squares at greatly reduced prices.
$1.65 Axminster, Moquet Carpets. Bargain Week Price, $1.25.
Fine quality Velvet Carpet, worth $1.25. Bargain Week Price, $1.10 per yard.
$1.10 Brussel Carpet in Parlor, Hall or Stair pattern. Bargain Week Price, 95c per yard.
Extra Heavy China and Jap Mattings, 20c, 25c, 30c and 35c. No charge will be made for laying this week.

DOUBLE TRADING STAMPS.

$1.25 Linoleum, $1.10 per yard; two yards wide; new patterns.
$17.50 Brussel Art Squares, size 9x12 feet. Bargain Week Price, $15.00.
$12.50 Fiber Art Squares, 9x12 feet. Bargain Week Price, $10.00 each.
70c Fiber Carpet. Sale price 60c.
3x6 feet Straw Rug, worth $1.00. Sale Price, 55c.
$1.75 Lace Curtains. Sale, $1.35.
$2.25 Lace Curtains. Sale, $1.69.
$2.50 Lace Curtains. Sale, $2.10.
$2.00 Ruffled Bobbinet Lace Curtains. Sale Price, $1.59.
White Dotted Swiss, 10c.
Silkoline Drapery. This Sale, 10c.
Reduction in Portieres, all shades.

White Bed Spreads

Large assortment to select from with low prices attached.
$1.00 Value Bed Spread..... 85c
$1.25 Value Bed Spread.....$1.00
$1.50 Value Bed Spread.....$1.25
$1.75 Value Bed Spread.....$1.50
$2.00 Value Bed Spread.....$1.75
$2.25 Value Bed Spread.....$1.90
$2.50 Value Bed Spread.....$2.40
They come plain and fringed, single and double bed.

Sheets and Pillow Cases

25c Hemstitched Pillow Cases, 20c.
20c Plain Hem. Pillow Cases, 15c.
81x90 Sheets, good quality, worth 90c. Bargain Week Price, 79c each.
90x90 Hemmed Sheets, regular $1.00 value. Bargain Week Price, 89c each.
90x90 Hemstitched Sheets, our regular $1.15 seller. Bargain Week Price, only 99c each.

Special Notice

We will hold Special Hour Sale every afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock, but these items will be advertised in the daily newspapers. Watch our adv.

The Sale will begin Monday, May 6th at 9 O'clock and continue for one week only. All advertised goods will be sold for Cash. Double Trading Stamps with every Cash Sale.

The C. W. Polvogt Company

Sole Agents for Ladies' Home Journal Patterns.

COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 4.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Firm, $2.30 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm, $3.50 per barrel for hard, $4.80 bid for dip and $5.25 bid for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, firm, $3.45; tar, firm, $1.80; crude turpentine, $2.90, $4.75 and $5.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	7
Rosin	27
Tar	78
Crude Turpentine	30

Receipts lsame day last year, 17 casks spirits turpentine; 67 barrels rosin; 122 barrels tar; 66 barrels of crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market, steady, 11c.

Same day last year—Steady, 11 1-8.

Receipts, 196 bales; same day last year, 22.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.45; extra prime, $1.50; fancy, $1.55 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1 new, $1.20; fancy, $1.25; Spanish, $1.45@$1.50.

CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.

N .C. BACON—Steady, hams, 16@18c per pound; shoulders, 12@13c; sides dull, 11@13c.

EGGS—Firm, 16@17c.

CHICKENS—Firm, 20@35 for small grows 40@50c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c 7 1-2@8 per pound.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 8@8 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Corn fed 8@10.

TURKEYS—Firm, live 15@16c; dressed 20 @ 22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 4.—The cotton market closed steady at a decline of one point on near months to an advance of 3 points, the decline being due to rather disappointing cables and less bullish week end figures than expected, with the market favorably affected by covering of yesterday's sellers on the cold weather in the western belt, and the prospect for unsettled conditions over the week end. After the opening trading was fairly active and prices worked up to a net gain of 10 to 12 points, but reacted a couple of points during the middle of the morning under realizing.

Receipts at the ports today, 7,172 bales, against 8,224 last week and 10,757 last year. For the week, 65,000, against 72,826 last week, and 68,347 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 1,654, against 2,330 last year, and at Houston, 1,216 bales, against 1,435 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands, 11.50; middling gulf, 11.75; sales, none. Futures closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Closing.
May	.....	10.20
June	10.17	10.22
July	10.23	10.25
August	10.10	10.14
September	10.11	10.15
October	10.33	10.36
November	.....	10.38
December	10.38	10.42
January	10.55	10.58
February	.....	10.62
March	10.66	10.69

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 11 1-8; net receipts, 3,262.

New Orleans—Easy, 11 1-2; net receipts, 1,654.

Mobile—Firm, 10 7-8; net receipts, 259.

Savannah—Steady, 11 1-16; net receipts, 1,110.

Charleston—Steady, 11; net receipts, 75.

Wilmington—Steady, 11; net receipts, 196.

Norfolk—Steady, 12 1-4; net receipts, 463.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 7-8.

New York—Steady, 11.50; net receipts, 102.

Boston—Steady, 11.55; net receipts, 9.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.75; net receipts, 33.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 7,172; Great Britain, 6,237; Continent, 2,777; stock, 546,212.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 7,172; Great Britain, 6,237.

Total since September 1, at all ports—Net,9,410,549; Great Britain, 3,496,458; France, 865,697; Continent, 3,129,180; Japan, 223,149.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Quiet, 11 7-8; net receipts, 1,216.

Augusta—Steady, 11 7-8; net receipts, 532.

Memphis—Steady, 11 1-4; net receipts, 720.

St. Louis—Steady, 11 3-8; net receipts, 405.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 75.

Louisville—Firm, 11 1-4.

Total today—Net receipts, 29,948; gross receipts, 4,898; shipments, 7,921; sales, 1,498; stock, 241,454.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, May 4.—Cotton: Spot, quiet; prices unchanged. American middling, 7.71; good middling, 7.17; middling, 6.63; low middling, 6.28; good ordinary, 5.63; ordinary, 5.25.

The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 4,300 American. Receipts—Futures opened easier and closed quiet. May, 6.12 1-2; May and June, 6.12; June and July, 6.03; July and August, 5.98; August and September, 5.85 1-2; September and October, 5.77 1-2; October and November, 5.72; November and December, 5.70; December and January, 5.69; January and February, 5.68; February and March, 5.69; March and April, 5.70.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, May 4.—The dry goods market was quiet and firm for the day. Rainy weather affected the early retail trade adversely. The primary market is strong and larger purchases are being made for deliveries into August and September. The jobbing market is doing a fair trade for the period.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 4.—Money on call, nominal. Time loans dull and slightly firmer; sixty days, 3 1-2, ninety days, 3 3-4@4 and six months 4 1-2 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 5 1-2@6; sterling exchange, firm with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8650@4.8660 for demand and at 4.8360@4.8370 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 4.84 and 4.87. Commercial bills, 4.83 1-2. Bar silver, 65 1-4. Mexican dollars, 50 1-4.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	104
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	104
U. S. Reg	102 1-2
U. S. 3s cou	102 1-2
U. S. old 4s reg	101 1-4
U. S. old 4s reg	101 1-4
U. S. new 4s reg	129 1-2
U. S. new 4s cou	129 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 4s	73 1-4
American Tobacco Co. 6s	106 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	95 1-4
Baltomore & Ohio 4s	100 3-8
L. & N. Unified 4s	101 1-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s	81 5-8
Southern Railway 5s	89 3-8
U. S. Steel 2nd pfd ex int	80

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	96
American Sugar Refining	125
American Tobacco pfd cert	92 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line	102 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio	99 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	89
Chesapeake & Ohio	41 7-8
L. & N.	119 3-4
New York Central	116 3-4
Norfolk & Western	78 1-2
Norfolk & Western pfd	81
People's Gas	92 3-4
Reading	113 3-4
Reading 1st pfd	83 1-2
Reading 2nd pfd	81
Southern Pacific	85 3-4
Southern Pacific pfd	117 1-2
Southern Railway	21 1-2
Southern Railway pfd	66 1-4
Tenn. Coal & Iron	145
U. S. Steel	37 1-2
U. S. Steel pfd	101 3-4
Va-Car Chemical	27 1-2
Va-Car Chemical pfd	104
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line pfd	—
Standard Oil	523
Western Union	82 1-2

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, May 4.—FLOUR firmly held and quiet. Minnesota patents, 4.25@4.60; winter patents, 3.65@4.00.

CORN MEAL—Steady; fine white and yellow, 1.20; coarse, 1.10@1.12; kiln dried, 2.85@2.95.

WHEAT—Spot, easy; No. 2 red, 89 1-2 elevator. Options, 3-8@1-2c lower. July, 88 5-8; September, 92 1-8.

CORN—Spot, steady; No. 2, 60 1-2 elevator. Options, net unchanged. May, 60; July, 58; September, 58.

OATS—Spot, steady; mixed, 47 1-2 @48.

LARD—Steady; western prime, 8.85@8.95; refined, steady; continent, 9.30; S. A., 10.00; compound, 8 1-4 @8 1-2.

PORK—Firm, 18.50@19.00; short clear, 15.00@15.80; mess, 17.25@18.00.

TALLOW—Steady; city, 6; country, 5 5-8@6 1-8.

COTTON SEED OIL—Firm and slightly higher; prime crude mills, 38 1-2; do summer yellow, 49; off summer yellow, 44 1-2@45 1-2; good off summer yellow, 44 1-2@45 3-4; prime white, 55; prime winter yellow, 55 1-3.

FREIGHTS AND PEANUTS — Steady, unchanged.

POTATOES—Easy; Virginia late crop, per barrel, 1.25@2.00.

CABBAGES—Easy; domestic, per barrel, 1.00@1.25.

RICE—Steady; domestic to extra, 2 3-4@6 1-2; Japan, nominal.

MOLASSES—Firm. New Orleans, open kettle, good to choice, 37@48.

SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3.26; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.76; molasses sugar, 3.02. Refined, steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7, 6 1-2; No. 4 Santos, 7 1-2; Cordova, 12 1-4. Futures, 15 points higher.

BUTTER—Steady, unchanged.

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged.

EGGS—Firm; western firsts, regular packing, 18 (official price 17 1-2@18-; seconds, 17@17 1-2.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, May 4.—Improved weather conditions for the growing crop had a weakening effect today on the wheat market, the May delivery closing at a net loss of 1-8@1-4c. Corn and oats were each down 1-4c. Provisions were 2 1-2@5c higher.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, steady. No. 2 spring wheat, 84@86 1-2; No. 3, 76@86; No. 2 red, 81 1-8@81 3-4; No. 2 corn, 49 1-2; No. 2 yellow, 50; No. 2 oats, 44 3-4; No. 2 white, 45 1-4; No. 3 white, 41 1-4@44; No. 2 rye, 69; short ribs, sides (loose), 8.37 1-2@8.62 1-2; mess pork, per barrel, 15.70@15.80; lard, per 100 pounds, 8.72 1-2; short clear sides (boxed), 8.75@9.00; whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

Leading futures closed as follows: Wheat—May, 81 3-8; July, 83 7-8@84; September, 85 1-2; December, 87.

Corn—May, 49 1-4; July, 49 5-8; September, 49 3-4.

Oats—May, 44 3-4; July, 32 3-4; September, 36@36 1-8.

Mess pork, per barrel—May, 15.67 1-2; July, 15.95.

Lard, per 100 pounds—May,8.72 1-2; July, 8.87 1-2; September, 9.00.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—May, 8.62 1-2; July, 8.77 1-2; September, 8.87 1-2.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, May 4.—Turpentine, steady, 67 1-2 to 68; rosin, firm, strained, common to good, 4.85.

Savannah, May 4.—Turpentine, quiet, 64 1-2; sales, 20; receipts, 580; shipments, 755. Rosin ,firm; sales, 868; receipts, 1,899; shipments, 1,045; stock, 22,570. Quote: A, B, C, 430; D, 4.45; E, 4.60; F, 4.70; G, 4.75; H, 4.80; I, 4.90; K, 5.15; M, 5.20; N, 5.35; WG, 5.40; WW, 5.65..5.75.

Charleston, May 4.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

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Str. C. W. Lyon, Williams, Fayetteville, S. M. King.

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Str. Navahoe, Hale, New York, H. G. Smallbones.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, May 4, 1907.

C. C. Railroad—7 bales cotton; 4 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—35 bales cotton.

W. C. & A. Railroad—44 bales cotton; 24 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine; 7 barrels rosin.

W. & N. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine; 20 barrels rosin; 16 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Lyon—110 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 54 barrels tar; 8 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—196 bales cotton; 7 casks spirits turpentine; 27 barrels rosin; 78 barrels tar; 30 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

Nimbus, 910 tons, Peck, C. D. Maffitt.

Harriet C. Kerlin, 458 tons, Cochran, C. D. Maffitt.

Wm. W. Converse, 664 tons, Williamson, C. D. Maffitt.

$6.60 To Charleston, S. C., and Return Via Atlantic Coast Line.

Account Fifth National Schuetzenfest of the Nationaler Schuetzen-Bund Vereinigten Staaten von Amerika, May 6th to 14th. Tickets on sale May 4th to 10th, final limit May 15th.

For further information, Phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager,
T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent,
Wilmington, N. C.

may 5-6t

Dr. Vinebery, the eye specialist of Norfolk, Va., who was here about three months ago and who has fitted ever so many to spectacles and eye glasses is again at James C. Munds' drug store, Masonic Temple. Call and have your eyes properly tested. No charge for examination. Spectacles or eye glasses correctly fitted to your eyes for $1.00 and upwards. All work guaranteed. **

Thrilling one-hour sales every day this week at the C. W. Polvogt Company's. Be on hand to take part. **

Read George O. Gaylord's ad this week for values in Summer Goods. **

Prairie Hay

486 Bales No. 1

PRAIRIE HAY

50 Cents Bale.

W. B. Cooper,

Wilmington, N. C.

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82-84 Griswold St., Detriot, Mich.
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Send name and address for information why ACP and RDG will sell at 250.

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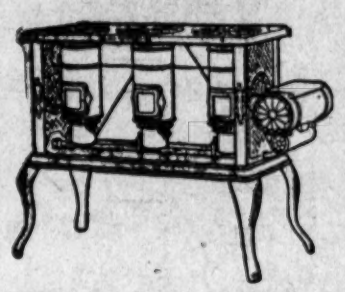

It means the hottest and cleanest flame produced by any stove. This is the flame the New Perfection Oil Stove gives the instant a lighted match is applied—no delay, no trouble, no soot, no dirt. For cooking, the

NEW PERFECTION

Wick Blue Flame Oil Cook-Stove

is unequaled. It gives quick results because its heat is highly concentrated. Cuts fuel-expense in two. Made in three sizes. Every stove warranted. If not at your dealer's write to our nearest agency.

The Rayo Lamp is the best lamp for all-round household use. Made of brass throughout and beautifully nickeled. Perfectly constructed; absolutely safe; unexcelled in light-giving power; an ornament to any room. Every lamp warranted. If not at your dealer's, write to our nearest agency.

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"THE STORE THAT'S ALWAYS BUSY."

WALL PAPER DEPARTMENT

It Costs infinitely less to have your walls and ceiling covered with handsome, artistic and harmonious paper than it does to have them painted, frescoed, tinted or treated in any other way. The kind of Wall Paper that we here allude to are to be had of us for less money than elsewhere.

Price per roll, 8, 10, 15, 20, 25 and 35 cents. Samples of high paper are shown in books. Let us figure with you.

OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

has turned out more hats this season than any season since we opened the department. Tomorrow we will open the new creations, that have just come out. No one will show you newer styles than ourselves. A Drummer's Sample line to dispose of—be among the first to get the pick. We do not duplicate or trim all our hats alike. Our trimmers are artists. No doubt you are aware of it.

DRESS GOODS, BLACK AND COLORED

Our Dress Goods business so far this season is more than double of last year's sales for the corresponding period. What greater tribute can the ladies of Wilmington pay to this favorite department of the Polvogt Store. See the display of our 50c goods. Full assortment of Black Voiles, Panamas and Fancy Suitings.

SOUTHERN RED TRADING STAMPS THE STAMP OF VALUE

Get your Trunk and Suit Case for the Jamestown Exposition. We are prepared to fill your wants now.

Southern Trading Stamps given with every cash purchase. Agents for Ladies' Home Journal Pattern and W. B. Corsets.

The C. W. Polvogt Company.

apr 13-tf

Call and let us show it to you, that is all we ask of you.

Wm. E. Springer & Co.

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NORTH STAR REFRIGERATORS

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Points of Superiority---Reasons Why you should BUY ONE.

The name NORTH STAR has become a household word, not only in this country, but in Europe, South Africa and Australia, as well. Forty sizes in different styles on show Make your selection before stock is broken. Catalogues mailed on application.

N. JACOBI HARDWARE CO

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Notice of Election

FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON AND FOR BONDS FOR STREET IMPROVEMENT AND WATER AND SEWERAGE.

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter, entitled Towns, subdivision 7, of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905, and in accordance with the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina passed at its 1907 session, entitled "An Act to Allow the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, to Issue Bonds for Street Improvement," and in accordance with the provisions of another act passed at the 1907 session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act to Allow the City of Wilmington to Issue Bonds for Water and Sewerage"; and by virtue of the powers therein given, do hereby call an election to be held by the qualified voters of the City of Wilmington on the 7th day of May, 1907, between the hours of eight o'clock and sunset of said day, for the election of two Aldermen from each of the five wards thereof; and also to determine whether the City of Wilmington shall issue bonds for Street Improvement, to the amount of four hundred thousand dollars ($400,000) and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons; and further to determine whether the said City of Wilmington shall issue bonds for Water and Sewerage to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of such bonds and coupons.

At said election all qualified voters of the City of Wilmington shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, upon which shall be written or printed the names of two electors from each of the five wards of the City of Wilmington to be voted for as members of the Board of Aldermen of said city. And all qualified voters who favor the issuance of bonds to the amount of four hundred thousand dollars $(400,000) for Street Improvement, and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons, shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, with "For Street Improvement" written or printed thereon; and all qualified voters opposed thereto shall vote a similar size with "Against Street Improvement" written or printed thereon.

And all qualified voters who are in favor of the issuance of bonds to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) for Water and Sewerage, and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons, shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, with "For Water and Sewerage" written or printed thereon, and all qualified voters opposed thereto shall vote a similar ballot with "Against Water and Sewerage" written or printed thereon.

For the purpose of the elections as authorized by said Chapter entitled "Towns" of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, and as authorized by the Acts aforesaid, no new Registration of the Electors for said elections shall be required, but the Registrars hereinafter named shall revise the registration books of their wards in such manner that said books shall show an accurate list of all electors previously registered in their wards and still residing therein, without requiring said electors to register anew.

And the following are designated as the polling places in the several wards in the City of Wilmington, and the persons hereinafter named are appointed as Registrars and Judges of Election in the said wards, to-wit:

First Ward, polling place—Hose Reel House, Fourth Street Bridge: Registrar—Isaiah West; Judges of Election—W. H. Coleman and C. O. Knox.

Second Ward, polling place—Old Court House: Registrar—C. T. Smaw—Judges of Election—Roger Moore and W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward, polling place—Giblem Lodge: Registrar—A. G. Hankins; Judges of Election—L. B. Sasser and C. D. Morrell.

Fourth Ward, polling place—Worth's Ice House: Registrar—T. G. Pickett; Judges of Election—J. S. Williams and D. L. Gore.

Fifth Ward, polling place—Market House at Fifth and Castle Streets: Registrar—J. W. Gafford; Judges of Election—T. G. Landen and Thomas Lossen.

For the purpose of allowing any elector, residing in any of the wards of said city, and etnitled to register, whose name has never before been registered, and does not appear in the revised list, to register, the Registrars in each ward between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and five o'clock P. M. on the 19th, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th days of April, 1907, and between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and nine o'clock P. M. on Saturdays, the 20th and 27th days of April, 1907, shall keep open the registration books of said ward for the registration of any new elector as aforesaid; and on the second Saturday before election day, to-wit, the 27th day of April, 1907, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and nine o'clock P. M. the registration books shall be kept open at the polling places in each ward for the inspection of the electors of said ward and any of the electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said book.

By order of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, this the 3rd day of April, 1907.

JNO. J. FOWLER,
City Clerk and Treasurer.
apr 4 to may 7 (inc)

GUION & DAVIS,

Barbers and Hair Dressers.

Are still at the old stand, No. 7 South Front street, where they are prepared, as usual, to serve the public in the best style. Everything necessary to the comfort and complete satisfaction of our patrons. tf

ASSASSINS ARE AFTER CABERERA

Another Great Mine Placed to Blow Up President of Guatemala.

FOUL PLOT WAS DISCOVERED

People Intensely Indginant at Persistent Attempts to Murder Head of Republic—United States and Mexico Will Interfere.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 4.—Another attempt to assassinate President Cabrera, of Guatemala, according to advices recived today by Minister Toledo, was made yesterday. In this instance what is described in a general way in the advises as "a great mine" was placed not far from the mansion of President Caberera apparently with the intention of exploding at a time when it would be most destructive. The mine was discovered, the attempt at assassination thus being rendered futile.

The news of the second attempt on President Caberera's life was received in a cablegram of which the following is a translation:

"Guatemala, May 4, 1907.

"Minister Toledo, Washington:

"Yesterday a great mine was discovered placed in front of the barracks of the guard of honor, 120 feet from the American legation and 180 feet from the Presidential mansion. This scandalous attempt at assassination has created great indignation among all classes of society.

"BARRIOS."

Signor Barrios is Minister of Foreign Affairs of Guatemala. The guard of honor is the special guard of President Caberera.

Ambassador Creel, of Mexico, had a conference today with State Department officials respecting the disturbed condition of affairs in Guatemala. The Mexican account is that indiscriminate arrests are being made of men, women and children, not only native Guatemalans, but persons of other nationalities, and that these prisoners are being harshly treated. It is understood that protests already have been made by the diplomatic representatives of other natons in Guatemala and that an attempt will be made to secure joint action by Mexico and the United States to prevent a continuance of this policy of indiscriminate arrests.

A dispatch was received at the Navy Department today from Commander Fullam, of the gunboat Marietta, which is patrolling Central American waters on the eastern coast, in which he says that he had permitted the Paducah to proceed south from Puerto Cortez, as everything is quiet there. Concerning the assault by Nicaraguan police and soldiers upon "General" Davis, the negro fruit trader, the commander says he has mailed a full report to the Department. His dispatch gives no details of the trouble there.

Affairs Are Critical.

Panama, May 4.—According to private advices received here from Guatemala City, there is reason to believe that the political situation there is critical and extraordinary developments are expected. The fact that the strict censorship has been relaxed is taken by those who know, as an indication that the government expects trouble. There would appear to be a determined purpose to suppress President Caberera by any means and the Guatemala City plot may be followed by other evidences of the popular hatred against the President of the republic.

YANKEE TARS DEFEATED.

Britishers Won Race for Battenberg Cup at Exposition.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., May 4.—By five lengths the rowing crew from the British ship Argyll defeated the tars from the United States battleship Illinois, thereby winning the Battenberg cup which was the prize offered for competition by the navies of the world, at the Jamestown Exposition this afternoon. The distance of the race was three miles through the double line of American and foreign battleships and the time was 28 minutes for the British boat and 29 minutes for the Illinois' crew.

20,000 BALES COTTON BURNED.

Bremen Had $1,500,000 Fire Yesterday—Cause Unknown.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Bremen, May 4.—Fire which broke out in the free zone warehouse today caused damage estimated at $1,500,000. The Bremen firemen fought hard for many hours. The flames were spread by a high southwest wind and some new wooden buildings on the machine wharves were also destroyed. In the warehouse 20,000 bales of cotton were burned. The high wind is spreading the flames. The custom house and fire department within the free zone are on fire. The building occupied by the firm of Anton Guenther has been destroyed and the warehouse of Claussen & Wieting is burning.

BASE BALL

American League.

Washington, 0; Boston, 6.
Philadelphia, 0; New York, 8.
Cleveland-St. Louis, wet grounds.
Detroit, 1; Chicago, 2.

National League.

New York, 10; Brooklyn, 0.
Boston-Philadelphia, rain.
Chicago, 1; Pittsburg, 0.
Cincinnati, 5; St. Louis, 1.

The Great Semi-Annual Bargain Week of the C. W. Polvogt Company is May 6th to 11th. Spend the week with us. **

See the 10c. fancy Crockery this week at Rehder's. **

Be in the push this week at Rehder's big sale. **

HORACE MARVIN WAS MURDERED

Dead Body of Little Delaware Boy Found in Marsh Near Home.

HE DISAPPEARED MARCH 4TH

Little Fellow Was Supposed to Have Been Kidnapped and Anxious Search Has Been Made for Past Two Months.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Dover, Del., May 4.—The body of Little Horace Marvin, who disappeared from the farm of his father at Kitt's Hammock, near here, March 4, was found this afternoon in a marsh in a fair state of preservation. The spot where the body was found is about a half mile east of the farmhouse toward the Delaware river. Kitts' Hammock is between seven and eight miles from here and is without communication with any place. From information brought by a horseman it is learned that the clothes on the child were the same as he wore the day he disappeared. The body was lying face downward.

Dr. Marvin at the moment the body was found was not ready to say whether the body of his child was placed where it was found or whether he believes the child wandered into the marsh and lost his life. The marsh was frozen over the day the boy disappeared.

There is a theory that the child was murdered and his body placed in the marsh, as the long grass where the body was found was burned and cleared four weeks ago. It is said the body lay under a pile of grass and that the clothing showed no evidence of having been touched by fire.

The body was found by Ollie Pleasanton, a neighbor, who was gunning for ducks on the marsh today. He had the body borne to the house and covered with a sheet. Pleasanton has figured in the case since Horace was lost, having first reported that he had seen two strange men who appeared there inquiring about the topography of the country three days before the disappearance.

When Ollie Pleasanton came upon the child's body he found the clothing intact. His tiny woolen reefer was buttoned up securely about the body and not an article of clothing which he had on when he disappeared was missing. His knit cap was pulled over his face and his mittens were on his hands.

Dr. Marvin says he searched over the same marsh nearly every day since the disappearance and with detectives burned the grass off the place four weeks ago but saw no signs of the body.

The theory that the child has been recently placed whfere he was found is supported by the fact that Dr. Marvin as well as detectives had stood on the spot when they burned the tall sage grass from it. Further than this the marsh has been trampled over time and again within the past week by neighbors and no sign of the child was seen.

Dr. Marvin went on a run to the place described by Pleasanton and gently picked up the little form, pulling his cap from the face to make sure that it was his boy. Being satisfied that it was his son, the doctor wrapped the remains in a sheet and carried him to the house where he notified the family.

Dr. Marvin is convinced that his son met with foul play. Shortly after the body was found he said:

"Though I am unable to examine Horace closely until the coroner arrive I am certain he was murdered, his body brought back and left lying on the marsh to give the impression that he wandered out there and died. The clothing showed no signs of having been burned as would undoubtedly have been the case had the body lain there when the fire swept over the marsh."

The doctor would not allow an examination to be made by any one until the coroner and a physician had made a full and complete investigation.

Attorney General Hastings and his deputy will see to the examination of the body and if foul play is shown, to order arrests if possible.

Detectives who have been on the case are inclined to the belief that the boy wandered into the marshes from the farm on the day of his disappearance, and being overcome by the cold, fell exhausted where the body was found.

Pleasanton, who discovered the body, has figured in the case since the moment Horace was lost, having first reported that he had seen the two strange men, who appeared there inquiring about the topography of the country three days before the disappearance.

Boy Probably Drowned.

A later examination of the body shows that it was somewhat bloated which lends strength to the belief that the boy wandered on the marsh and was drowned. The coroner will begin his investigation tomorrow. State Chemist Wolfe has been ordered to Dover and directed to make an examination of the body.

Special Reduced Prices on Ladies' ready-to-wear goods at A. D. Brown's. **

Special reduced prices on all Ladies' Suits at A. D. Brown's. **

A Narrow Escape.

G. W. Cloyd, a merchant, of Plunk, Mo., had a narrow escape four years ago, when he ran a jimson bur into his thumb. He says: "The doctor wanted to amputate it but I would not consent. I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and that cured the dangerous wound." 25c at R. R. Bellamy, Druggist.

MRS. ROOSEVELT BARELY ESCAPED

Bad Accident Happened to Yacht Sylph After Trip Down Potomac.

IT CRASHED INTO TUGBOAT

Flagpole Fell to Deck Barely Missing President's Wife and Some of Her Lady Guests—Both Steamers Badly Injured.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 4.—Mrs. Roosevelt and a number of ladies accompanying her aboard the yacht Sylph narrowly escaped a serious accident as the boat reached Washington yesterday on its return from a trip down the Potomac river. Through some misunderstanding the boat went past her dock and crashed into a tugboat. The shock was so severe that the flagpole of the yacht fell to the deck with a crash, narrowly missing Mrs. Roosevelt, and those with her, among whom were Mrs. Clifford Richardson, of New York, and Mrs. Bacon, the wife of the Assistant Secretary of State. Happily, none was hurt.

Mrs. Roosevelt was entertaining a party of friends aboard the yacht, having left the city at noon and returning to the navy yard at 3 o'clock. For a time following the accident there was considerable excitement aboard the yacht, but the ladies were assured there was no danger and the vessel was backed to her dock, where the party disembarked without further adventure. Both yacht and tugboat were more or less damaged. The impression is that the engineer misunderstood an order to reverse his engines as one to go forward, resulting in the collision. The racing launch of the Sylph was badly damaged. The fact that the yacht was not proceeding at a rapid rate was regarded as fortunate as otherwise the damage would be considerable. Captain Roscoe C. Bulmer, the captain of the Sylph, was at the White House today, but for what purpose it could not be ascertained.

It was said at the White House later that all the circumstances plainly showed that Captain Bulmer was clearly not at fault. The mistake, it was said, laid with the engineer's department which had improperly interpreted the signals. The President, it is said, is satisfied with Captain Bulmer's explanation and a court of inquiry, which usually follows an accident, will not be necessary.

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One of the New Spring Styles Shown at SOLOMON'S SHOE STORE.

ACADEMY

TO-MORROW NIGHT, Monday,

BILY KERSANDS' Big Minstrel Company.

Watch for the Street Parade.

Reserved seats $1 and 75c.

Seats on sale at Plummer's.

Wonderful Eczema Cure.

"Our little boy had eczema for five years," writes N. A. Adams, Henrietta, Pa. "Two of our home doctors said the case was hopeless, his lungs being affected. We then employed other doctors but no benefit resulted. By chance we read about Electric Bitters; bought a bottle and soon noticed improvement. We continued this medicine until several bottles were used, when our boy was completely cured." Best of all blood medicines and body building health tonics. Guaranteed at R. R. Bellamy's Drug store. 50c.

Great reduction on all Ladies' Suits this week at A. D. Brown's. **

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS.

THE CONTEST CLOSES today and a committee composed of Messrs. T. H. Wright, J. M. Hall, H. L. Vollers, Capt. Wm. F. Robertson and Col. Walker Taylor will decide the proper name for the new store Mr. Capps will open on Princess street. The result will be made known Wednesday. may 5-tf

LOST—A liberal reward will be paid for return of my fox terrier; white with brown spot over and around left eye. W. N. Harriss, Court House. may 5-1t*

LADY STENOGRAPHER desires position; will commence work for small salary with chance for promotion. Any reference desired. Address Shorthand Department, Buie's Creek, N. C. may 5-1t*

SALESMEN WANTED to sell to grocers, druggists and confectioners; $100 per month and expenses. California Cider & Extract Company, St. Louis, Mo. may 5-1t*

CIGAR SALESMAN wanted to represent us in your locality; good pay; experience unnecessary; write for particulars at once. Monroe Cigar Co., Toledo, Ohio. may5-1t*

GAS AND GASOLINE engines, motor boats, automobiles. Do you wish to buy, sell or operate? The Gas Engine Magazine is an 80-page monthly devoted to these industries. $1 per year. Specimen free. The Gas Engine Publishing Co., Blymyer Building, Cincinnati, Ohio. may 5-1t*

FOR RENT—For season, the Lord Cottage, next to Carolina Yacht Club; seven large rooms, besides bath and kitchen and servants' quarters; completely furnished with electric lights; best location on beach; terms very reasonable. Call on M. C. Darby & Co., Real Estate, 114 1-2 Princess street. may 5-1t

A BOY who is not afraid to handle a broom or a bucket of water may secure employment by making immediate application at the Star office. Color of boy not important provided he is not green. may5-3t

WANTED—One room and board for two in private family, south side city preferred. Write or see T. S. McManus, Southern Bell Telephone Company. may5-1t

FOR SALE—Six milch cows; a fine young Jersey in the bunch; may be seen Monday at the city pound; prices right. J. N. Carroll. may 5-1t*

WANTED—Traveler for old-established house, with large capital. Line suitable for either lady or gentleman. Experience unenecessary; $12 weekly to start; expense advanced. Address George Clows, Wilmington, N. C. may 5-1t*

FOR SALE—Desirable corner on Castle street, 57x100 feet; desirable corner for business; also 34 acres good farming land on Castle Haynes road near the city. Apply to C. P. B. Mahler, Real Estate and Renting Agent. may 5-1t

YOUNG LADY wants position as stenographer; well educated; writes good longhand; willing to work. Address Miss E. R., care Star, Wilmington, N. C. may 3-3t*

WANTED—Experienced sawyer at saw mill near Elkton, N. C Right price paid to the right man. Apply at once. M. D. Felton, Elkton, N. C. may 3-1w*

ANYONE WISHING to see or talk with the Pocomoke Guano Company will phone 86 or call at Seaboard office. B. B. Pridgen, manager. apr 30 1w.

BOARD AND ROOM for married couple or two young men. Apply 212 Walnut street. apr 30 tf

BOY about 13 to 14 years old is wanted at the Star office to sweep out, bring water, etc. apr 28 3t

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE the following cars will not run beyond Wrightsville except on Sunday: Ten, 11:30 and 1:30 o'clock. apr 25-tf

THE VERY BEST WAY to save money is through the Co-operative Building and Loan Association. A new series (the 17th) opens Saturday, May 4th, 1907, and subscription to stock is being taken now. Call at the office of the Secretary, 124 Princess street, and let him know how many shares you want. If you don't know about B. & L., ask him all about it. 25 cents each share; worth $100 at maturity. Thos. H. Wright, Secretary. Wm. E. Worth, President. apr 16-tf

WANTED—To rent for one year, with option to buy, small farm, with productive soil, near Wilmington. About half cleared, and on or near suburban line of railway preferred. Address, "Farmer," care Star Office. apr 10-1w.

THE OLD ESTABLISHED and reliable Wilmington Pressing Club is still serving its customers with its usual promptness and at moderate prices. Clothes called for and delivered. mch 31-tf

34 YEARS EXPERIENCE—Artistic dyeing; French Dry Cleaning; Steam Cleaning. Dresses, Gloves, Sunshades, Gentlemen's Suits, Panama Hats. Empire Steam Dye Works, 122 Market Street. apr 21-1w*

GREAT REDUCTION SALE

OF

Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits

AT

A. D. BROWN'S

"THE MODEST PRICE SORE."

Unheard of Values for Such Goods.

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MANUFACTURERS' SALE!

SWIFT SURE SALE

The Sharpest, Swiftest, Most Fierce Selling ever known in North Carolina, conceded by merchants and knowing ones to be the most daring and extravagant disposal of High Class Merchandise ever offered to the people of Wilmington.

NOTE THIS WEEK'S VALUES:

25c White Pique this week, manufacturing Sale, 13c yard.

25c Colored Organdy this week, Manufacturing Sale, 10c yard.

15c Colored Lawns this week, Manufacturing Sale, 8c yard.

10c Colored Lawns this week, Manufacturing Sale, 6c yard.

12 1-2c 40-inch White Lawns this week 10c.

15c 40-inch White Lawns this week, 12 1-2c.

20c 40-inch White Lawns, this week, 15c.

12 1-4 Percales, 36 inches wide, his week, 10c yard.

10c 36-inch Percales this week 8c yard.

12 1-2c Dress Ginghams this week 8c yard.

25c 42-inch French Lawns this week 19c.

25c Madras this week 19c.

15c White Madras this week 9c.

25c. Dotted Swiss this week 14.

Our ambition and efforts are all centered upon making this the Mecca for people who want the best values obtainable for the money this week.

Geo. O. GAYLORD'S

Three Big Stores.

may 5-tf

Never Saw Anything Like 'Em

CIGARS—Name "Smokers", another "Baldwin," another "White Knight."
CIGARETTES—Got every kind made. "Piedmont," "Carolina Bright," "Wilson Straight Cut," "White Roll"—all of them.
TOBACCOS—Every brand sold carried in stock, from cheapest to best grades made.
ALSO AGENTS FOR "Mecklenburg" Carbonated Lithia Waters. For a mixer it beats the world—not inferior to the best foreign waters.
Come Around and See Us—We are the People.

F. E. HASHAGEN CO.

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THE MOST DESIRABLE PROPERTY NOW ON THE MARKET FOR SALE

I have decided to sell as a whole all of my property lying east of Eleventh street, on Princess, Chestnut, Mulberry and Walnut streets in blocks 189, 200, 201, 214, 215, 470, 471, 472, 474, 475, 476, 478, 462, 464, 465, 467, 468.

For terms, etc., address

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921 EAST MAIN STREET,

RICHMOND, VA.

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Commissioner Bingham

New York City's Police Boss

Who He Is, What He Has Done and What He Expects to Do.

This story will interest you and your friends. Be sure and get

THE NEW YORK SUNDAY HERALD May 5th.

may 5-1t.

ST. JOHN'S LODGE NO. 1, A. F. & A. M.

Emergent Communication tomorrow (Monday) evening at 8 o'clock to consider a matter of importance to the lodge and for work in the Fellow Craft degree. All members earnestly requested to attend.

Visiting brothers are cordially invited.

By order of the W. M.

A. S. HOLDEN, Secretary.

may 5 1t